

Seek British Views On Newfoundland Union

Figure On Guided Missiles

With Range Of 5,000 Miles

Drew Would Consult With All Provinces

OTTAWA (CP)—Prime Minister St. Laurent this afternoon moved in the Commons the historic address to the King asking British parliamentary action to confirm the projected union of Canada and Newfoundland.

It was, he told the chamber, a "great honor" to have the privilege of moving the motion, the final act necessary to bring about the joining of the two countries.

He was sure the members of the Commons and the peoples of Canada and Newfoundland, appreciated the "historic significance" of the presentation of the motion.

The motion would go to the King "as the expression of the wish of the people of Canada that union is desired and should take place." The Commons, through its adoption last week of the main bill to weld the union, already had sanctioned the main bill to weld the union, already had sanctioned the principle that it should take effect.

Canadians, he added, never had thought of Newfoundland as being another country. They had great respect for "the sturdy qualities of that great population"—the people of Newfoundland—and the union was a source of pride to older Canadians who had many close relationships with the island.

AMENDMENT MOVED
George Drew, Progressive Conservative leader, today in the Commons moved an amendment calling for consultation with the provinces before union with Newfoundland takes place.

Sockeye Season July 25

SEATTLE (AP)—Milo Moore, chairman of the International Fisheries Commission, announced today the Fraser River district of British Columbia will not be opened for sockeye salmon fishing until July 25.

Today's Final Prices On Vancouver Market

Cattle	
Anglo-Canadian	480 470
Albion	470 460
British Columbia	460 450
C. and E. Corp.	450 440
Almont	440 430
Central Ltd.	430 420
Commonwealth	420 410
Edwards	410 400
East Ltd.	400 390
Pacific	390 380
Home Ltd.	380 370
Home West	370 360
McDonald Segur	360 350
Mercury	350 340
National Pats.	340 330
Ocala	330 320
Pacific Pats.	320 310
Royal Canadian	310 300
Spooner	300 290
Sun.	290 280
Superior	280 270
HOGS	
Bayonne Cons.	6 1/4 7 1/4
Bralorne	6 1/2 7 1/2
Bridge River Cons.	6 3/4 7 3/4
B.R.C. (1885)	6 1/2 7 1/2
Canada Caribou	6 1/4 7 1/4
Carlson Gold	6 1/2 7 1/2
Congress	6 1/4 7 1/4
George Copper	6 1/2 7 1/2
Goldcoast	6 1/4 7 1/4
Grandview	6 1/2 7 1/2
Grull Whiskey	6 1/4 7 1/4
Hedley Masot	6 1/2 7 1/2
Highland Belle	6 1/4 7 1/4
Island Mountain	6 1/2 7 1/2
Pacific Nickel	6 1/4 7 1/4
Pond Orville	6 1/2 7 1/2
Pioneer Gold	6 1/4 7 1/4
Prentiss Border	6 1/2 7 1/2
Priver	6 1/4 7 1/4
Quadrant Copper	6 1/2 7 1/2
Reeves McDonald	6 1/4 7 1/4
Rena Gold	6 1/2 7 1/2
Sheep Creek	6 1/4 7 1/4
Silbak Premier	6 1/2 7 1/2
Silver Ridge	6 1/4 7 1/4
Taylor Bridge	6 1/2 7 1/2
Ulica	6 1/4 7 1/4
Vanada	6 1/2 7 1/2
Wellington	6 1/4 7 1/4
INDUSTRIALS	
B.C. Forest Products	275 300
B.C. Turf	45 50
Canadian Western Lumber	245 260
Capital Estates	1075 1075
Coast Breweries	325 325
H. R. MacMillan B.	6 1/2 6 1/2
Pacific Cattle	40 40
Powell River	4150 4150
Sun Publishing	1725 1725
Westminster Paper A.	875 890
De B.	385 385
Total sales, 30,162.	



To Wed?

Film star James Stewart (right), Hollywood's perennial bachelor, is in Mexico with his girl friend of several months, Mrs. Gloria McLean (left), attractive divorcee. Stewart denied wedding bells are imminent.—(NEA Telephone)

Weather Forecast

Cloudy, clearing this evening; southwest winds, 25, decreasing to 15 tonight. Tuesday: Cloudy, clearing by noon; little change in temperature. Low tonight, -30; high Tuesday, 42.

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Today's Sports

Player May Race Hockey Prize Colt

MONTREAL (CP)—President Clarence Campbell of the National Hockey League said today that the "N.H.L. has no objections to Max Bentley racing a colt he won as a result of a hockey game."

The president was referring to the leagues anti-gambling rules which forbid players to gamble in any form.

Bentley, a star forward with Toronto Maple Leafs, was given the yearling by a Toronto breeder for scoring a goal against Detroit Red Wings at Toronto Saturday night.

"Racing a horse doesn't make a gambler out of a person," said Campbell.

"But if you bet on them that's different."

Overnight Entries At Santa Anita

FIRST RACE—Three furlongs	
Dist. Attorney 118	Starboard 118
Free Ticket 118	Agassiz King 118
Round Witch 118	b-Jun. Star 118
Soyable 118	Bull Returns 118
a-Mississippi 118	Pony Boy 118
Caribou 118	a-Mississippi 118
Singing Sword 118	b-Geed Patch 118
Kings 118	b-Entry
Overrun 118	b-Entry
SECOND RACE—Seven furlongs	
Speedy Trip 118	Tommy Manner 118
Pat Land 118	Gallery 118
Obey 118	Jimmy 118
Vesley Bandit 118	Hi Molly 108
Beau Beau 118	Primp 118
Spandip 118	Singer Cookie 118
Holly Base 118	Tommy's Pal 118
Cragie 118	Bull Nails 118
THIRD RACE—Six furlongs	
Shafter V 108	Gilway 108
Roman Pennant 108	Aquas 108
Coastal Ruth 108	Viscountess 108
Slow Freight 118	So They Say 118
Passage 108	Hollyson 118
Miss Nina S 108	So They Say 118
Sananton 111	Betty Fox 108
Sneak On 118	Mr. Lea 108
FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs	
Royal Consort 108	Two ah Twenty 111
Speak Up 111	Shake Me 111
Black Fox 111	Terry's Man 118
FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs	
Ted Junior 117	First to Fly 117
Maid O Valor 114	All Aboard 112
Vinair 118	Happy Birthday 108
Sanita Rosanna 109	Whit Thru 107
Tiger Pen 110	Victory 110
Last Drink 108	Three Rivers 117
Tala 108	Capistrano 117
Old Dad 114	
SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs	
Hubble Bubble 118	Brave Fox 118
Muscle Man 110	Tickling 117
Proud Rider 109	Sirrup Cup 116
The Shaker 112	Innoc 122
Red Stamp 108	
SEVENTH RACE—One mile	
Drumbeat 112	Triple 114
Miss Grillo 112	See Tee See 119
Roman In 118	Cordier 115
Rose Beam 116	Cornish Knight 109
EIGHTH RACE—One and a sixteenth	
Portlands Bid 118	Fred F 114
Pedro Primero 112	Victory 110
Gally B 111	Vicar 110
Worms 117	Almond Crisp 116
Trypanon 116	Ripart 115
War Edict 112	She Daid 110
Nichelle 116	Noble Mark 118
Ninth post 1 p.m.	

Gus Bodnar, Not Seriously Injured, To Play Wednesday

CHICAGO (AP)—Defence star Gus Bodnar, injured less seriously than suspected against Montreal Sunday night, will rejoin Chicago Black Hawks in their National Hockey League game with Boston here Wednesday night.

Club officials said an X-ray examination at St. Anthony Hospital indicated Bodnar, a native of Fort William, Ont., suffered only slight concussion in a contact play against the Canadiens. Bodnar, 27, was unconscious eight minutes and it was feared at first he had suffered a fracture of the jaw and brain concussion.

Austria Advances With Canada In Hockey Finals

STOCKHOLM (CP)—Austria today overwhelmed Denmark 25 to 1 in the World Amateur Hockey Championships and thus earned the right to advance with Canada's Sudbury Wolves into the round-robin finals of the tournament.

The United States defeated Belgium 12 to 0 and also qualified for the finals, which start tomorrow.

The 10 competing countries are divided into three groups. Within each group, each team plays every other team once. Then the two leading teams advance into the finals.

Canada, Austria and Denmark were drawn in Group A; Czechoslovakia, Finland and Sweden in Group B, and the United States, Switzerland, Norway and Belgium in Group C.

Despite two convincing victories, Sudbury Wolves are not picked by experts here to win the world title.

Hull City Meets Manchester United In 6th Cup Round

LONDON (Reuters)—A "David and Goliath" tussle between Hull City of the Football League's Third Division and Manchester United, the Cup holders, will highlight the sixth round of the Football Association Cup.

In the draw today for the sixth and quarter-final round of the Cup competition the two teams were picked to meet. The sixth-round games will be played Feb. 26. If replays are necessary, they are scheduled for March 5.

Hull, whose team was almost wiped out during the war, is the only "giant-killer" left in the competition following the elimination of Yeovil Town and Newport County.

The Hull squad has lost only one game this season. They have a chance to achieve promotion from the Third Division and to win the Cup, if they can get past Manchester United.

Brentford meets either Luton Town or Leicester City in another sixth-round game, involving Second Division teams.

In the other two games in the sixth round, Portsmouth will clash with Derby County and Wolverhampton Wanderers will meet West Bromwich Albion.

Welsh Heading For Provincial Title

WINNIPEG (CP)—Jimmy Welsh, winner of the grand aggregate in Manitoba's 61st annual bonspiel, defeated Dr. Lawrie Howden 12 to 6 today in the round-robin series leading to the provincial curling title and the right to represent Manitoba in the Dominion finals.

A second favored Winnipeg rink—that skipped by Billy Walsh—edged Jimmy Moore of Balmoral 9 to 8 in round-robin play.

Three other matches were played in the series. W. J. Gray's Fort Frances, Ont., rink fought game but lost out 11 to 10 to Clayton Thody of Mather.

Fred Willmot of Douglas scored a resounding victory over Don McNabb of Winnipeg, whom he beat 9 to 4. Vic Wilson of Gilbert Plains beat Bob Cook of Virden 9 to 6.

Strike Of French Jockeys Postponed

PARIS (Reuters)—A strike of French jockeys announced Sunday, collapsed today when jockeys returned to work.

This enabled the Societe Sportive d'Encouragement, France's equivalent of the British Jockey Club, to announce the French steeplechasing season will open at Enghien tomorrow as arranged.

The jockeys, claiming "more pay for losing mounts" and a rebate of 40 per cent for expenses in their assessments for income tax, as members of a non-commercial profession, decided to postpone the strike for one month.

French Ministry of Finance officials, together with owners and jockeys' representatives will in the meantime consider the demands the society said.

Overnight Entries At Fair Grounds

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs	
Metz Chic 107	Budgawin 112
Cleveland Son 110	Doss Weaver 108
Pokolke 109	Clackadoe 112
Sens Style 112	Iron Sweep 112
Ida A 107	Mar. Brown 117
Bright Bronze 102	Shred Guts 112
Laundry Boy 107	King Thunder 112
Pire Kabo 112	Wild Knight 112
SECOND RACE—Six furlongs	
Alicia Hitten 103	Chip Reef 98
River Star 112	Dandy Pat 110
Dee Sleam 107	Spottily 108
Little Girl 118	Little Girl 106
Rose well 108	Travelling Chip 106
Bara Paul 110	Weatherford 110
Jack's Niece 108	Helen's Honey 108
Hilda Liberty 110	Why So Late 107
THIRD RACE—Six and a sixteenth	
Dandy 119	Oyster Leaf 107
Duckmarsh 117	Chant Home 118
Bronzaca 104	Aquilon II 117
He Muddy 117	He Muddy 117
Pinhouse 119	Don Albert 112
Think So 107	Larvan 112
FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs	
Waverly 110	Make It Easy 116
Valdina Perion 118	Hinkston 105
Howdy Howdy 114	One Atom 113
Jhant 102	First Pal 110
Upstate 108	Big Wig 115
Break Thru 115	Puppa George 118
Tennis Ball 110	Chall Pass 118
Lucky M 111	Dagon 112
FIFTH RACE—Quarter mile	
Phyllesta 114	Rose Tip 114
Baby Pech 108	Gypsy Day 114
Dinah Rose 114	Nichire 114
Jean Dear 114	Porpoise Joy 114
My Pinner 112	Willy 112
Hyeron Cherry 114	a-Balladette 114
Sully 114	Slania 114
Miss Nellie 118	Mar. Brown 114
Patridge 114	b-Entry
Lady Red 114	b-Entry
SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs	
Spice Bush 118	Flying Louie 107
Howdy Howdy 114	Merry March 107
Minutes 101	Willy 112
Anglebar 112	Perial 107
SEVENTH RACE—Five and a sixteenth	
Bird Shot 109	Arnie 111
Dame D Honneur 108	Chall Reward 108
Foot Bill 108	Romb Case 118
Molla Valenti 108	
EIGHTH RACE—One and a sixteenth	
Touch of Time 109	Chadgram 107
Bred Hope 108	Granny 107
Unhappily 102	Belvedere 102
My Pinner 112	Gold Question 107
Grace 111	Lennie Boy 118
Mary M 116	Karbak 112
Atomic City 112	Cherokee V 107
Lady Nina 108	Wes Wee Marie 108
First post 12 noon	

U.S. Congress Asked For 200-Million To Build Test Ground

WASHINGTON (AP)—The United States will build guided missiles this year with ranges up to 500 miles. Scientists and military authorities confidently expect to push that range on up to 5,000 miles.

These prospects came out before a House armed services sub-committee today in testimony urging Congress to authorize spending of \$200,000,000 to build a 3,000-mile long range proving ground to test guided missiles.

The word of what lies ahead came from Dr. Karl T. Compton, chairman of the Research and Development Board.

Compton said it is now possible to haul a 10-ton bomb load 3,000 miles, and the same thing could be done with a guided missile if the missile were as large as modern aircraft.

A 3,000-mile range would consist of a launching area, stations along the flight path to track the missiles, and an impact area to receive the missiles at the end of their flight. The project ultimately will require a self-sustaining military and civilian community of 13,000 persons set far off from other populated areas.

Pallbearers Fight At Manila Funeral

MANILA (AP)—Two funeral processions approached the same cemetery at the same time today. Pallbearers laid aside their burdens and pitched into a wild fist fight over the right of way.

The cemetery watchman broke up the melee, after two had been injured, by firing into the air.

The pallbearers scattered. When mourners rounded them up the corteges moved on.

Leader Of Moslems Dies From Wounds

CAIRO (AP)—Sheikh Hassan al Banna, leader of the outlawed Moslem Brotherhood Association, who was shot Saturday by a masked gunman, died in a hospital early Sunday.

Hospital officials said his companion, lawyer Abdel Karim Mohamed Mansour, had been shot three times.

Police said they had made no arrests.

Last Dec. 28, Premier Mahmoud Fahmy Nokrashy was assassinated by a man whom police accused of being a member of the Moslem Brotherhood.

The next day students demonstrated against Hassan al Banna shouting "we will avenge your death, Nokrashy."

Bloc For Defence

MANILA (AP)—Regional organization of all "free, democratic, non-Communist nations of Asia" was proposed today by Brig. Gen. Carlos Romulo, Philippine delegate to the United Nations. He urged the bloc to push back the influx of Communism in Asia.

FOUR STAR FINAL

Police Say Toronto Lawyer Shot Nurse, Then Killed Himself

MONTREAL (CP)—Police said today a Toronto lawyer shot a registered nurse through the head, then turned the gun on himself in the couple's compartment on an overnight train from Toronto Sunday night.

Dr. Rosario Fontaine, who conducted an autopsy, said Earl Fauman, 39, shot Mrs. Martha Leona Kelly, 28, and then shot himself. The Toronto nurse was the wife of Inspector Frank Kelly, head of the criminal investigation branch of the Ontario police at Toronto.

Knocked Unconscious In Crash With Car

A motorcyclist, Wilfred Jones, was knocked unconscious shortly after 2 this afternoon when he was in collision with a car at the intersection of Courtney and Blanshard Streets.

According to police, Jones was riding north on Blanshard when he was in collision with a car driven west on Courtney by A. A. Green, 1360 Mitchell.

Jones, a visitor to this city, reported to be staying at 11 Cambridge Street, was taken by police ambulance to Royal Jubilee Hospital where he was later reported to be badly shaken by the accident.

By Frank Godwin

RUSTY RILEY



One Woman's Day

By NANCY HODGES

MORE ABOUT PRAYERS

IN A RECENT COLUMN about prayers and politics, I quoted some of the somewhat unconventional and earthy petitions raised by the late chaplain to the U.S. Senate, Rev. Peter Marshall, D.D.

And I contrasted the varying nature of his prayers with the prescribed, unchanging, interdenominational version with which our provincial Legislature prefaces its proceedings every day.

By an odd coincidence, I happened to be looking over some old books yesterday when I came across the daily prayer that has been used in the British House of Commons for nearly 400 years.

CENTURIES OLD

THIS PARTICULAR PRAYER was composed by Sir Christopher Yelverton in the year 1578, at a time when he was M.P. for Northampton and Speaker of the House. It reads:

"Almighty God, by whom alone kings reign and princes decree justice, and from whom alone cometh all counsel, wisdom and understanding.

"We, Thine unworthy servants, here gathered together in Thy name, do most humbly beseech Thee send down Thy heavenly wisdom from above, to direct and guide us in all our consultations.

"And grant that, we having Thy fear always before our eyes, and laying aside all private interests, prejudices, and partial affections, the result of all our counsels may be the glory of Thy Blessed name, the maintenance of true religion and justice, and the safety, honor and happiness of the King, the public welfare, peace and tranquillity of the realm, and the uniting and knitting together of the hearts of all persons and estates within the same in true Christian love and charity towards one another. Through Jesus Christ our Lord and Saviour."

PRAYER FOR MOVIES

WHILE SCANNING a Los Angeles newspaper the other day, my eye spotted a lengthy prayer which was offered on a rather unusual occasion—the opening of a new movie theatre down in Waverly, Georgia, U.S.A.

The local minister rose to the occasion nobly, first asking for Divine blessings on the new theatre, its owners and its patrons. He went on:

"We thank Thee for the technological advances which make possible entertainment for the common man. Most of us who are here are caught in the monotony of a work-a-day world. Our lives are filled with mundane things, so that we need this medium of escape from the hard, difficult places of life, to recreate ourselves. To some of us this offers our only means of recreation."

PART IN PEACE

THE PASTOR then proceeded to elaborate on the role played by the movies in everyday life:

"We thank Thee for the movie screen which has made of us world travelers. Most of us will never see the palms waving on a Pacific island or know how people live in the great metropolitan centres of the world. We will never see what life is like in China or in Poland. We will never walk the streets of London or rub shoulders with Fiji Islanders. But through motion pictures we are made aware of the nature of our world and of our society. The hope of a peaceful world rests upon an understanding of the people of our world and this is a means to that understanding."

STRESSES RESPONSIBILITY

AFTER EXHORTING the patrons to use this mode of education and entertainment wisely, to separate truth from farce, the minister finally put in a word for the industry itself:

"Give courage to the leaders of the industry so that they may face squarely the issues of life. Help them to know their responsibility to society. Grant, we pray Thee, to the motion picture industry a sense of its responsibility to foster clean living, since it is such a powerful instrument in the formation of character. May it glorify the good rather than the evil."

To which last paragraph a good many Canadians would no doubt add a fervent "Amen!"

Capital Investment Ratio To Production Shows Decline

By FORBES RHUDE

Canadian Press Business Editor

Canadians are putting an increased amount of money into the development of their country, but apparently little more than can be accounted for by the fact that there are more people to do it.

Actually, a smaller proportion of their total output is going back into the means of production than in the years 1928-29.

The annual report of the Bank of Canada attempts to compare today with the peak period of the '20s, on a basis of actual volume rather than money spent, because increased prices might make the latter misleading. It says:

"Comparing the years 1947-48 taken together with the years 1928-29 taken together, it appears that the increase in the physical volume of new private capital investment excluding investment in inventories, was of the order of 35 to 40 per cent.

"If allowance is made for the fact that between these two periods Canada's population rose by 28 per cent it is clear that there was only a small increase in the rate of physical investment per capita.

"The increase in Canada's over-all output has been on a much more substantial scale. Although the calculations again are necessarily approximate, it seems safe to say that the physical volume of Canada's total production of goods and services was more than two-thirds greater in 1947-48 than it was in 1928-29.

"There can therefore be little doubt that a materially smaller proportion of the country's physical output was devoted to expanding and improving capital investment in 1947-48 than was the case in 1928-29."

Though it doesn't say so in this report, the bank's comments seem to be calling attention to what is regarded as a serious problem in both Canada and the United States; namely, the desire for an increased flow of investment income from sources which have not yet become accustomed to investing in securities.

Armed Thugs Beat Man To Get \$530

NEW WESTMINSTER (CP)—

Two armed thugs held up a 24-year-old man in his home here, beat, bound and gagged him and escaped with \$530.

Marple Hirst told police he passed out after he was beaten by the gunmen. He said he had answered a knock on the door Sunday night and in the semi-darkness was confronted with a revolver. The two men entered, knocked him to the floor and bound his hands and wrists.

"After considerable slapping around," he told the thugs where the money was. Both wore handkerchiefs over their faces.

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INCANDESCENT AND FLUORESCENT

Unsettled France Not Best For Us

John Gunther finds General de Gaulle strengthening his political position in France.

By JOHN GUNTHER

As of the time we saw it the struggle for power in France was triple: between the middle-of-the-road Queuille government, the Communists, and De Gaulle, with De Gaulle's strength sharply rising. The government's position was that of trying to avoid extermination between two perilous extremes.

The three great questions to ask General de Gaulle are these:

1. Will your movement seek power only by legal means, i.e., do you disclaim any intention of trying to seize office by coup d'état?

2. Can you restore order, stability and discipline to France without violation of democratic principles and civil liberties?

3. Will the Communists resort to force, i.e., provoke resistance of such nature that civil war might result, if you come to power?

The answers given by ardent and confirmed De Gaulists to these questions are approximately the following:

Bars Exercise Of Force

First, the general absolutely excludes the idea, on his part, of any exercise of force. One reason for this is his conviction, almost messianic in its intensity, that, given time, the application of force will not be necessary. It is not merely that he dislikes the idea of a coup d'état as untidy and possibly dangerous. It is that he is utterly and sublimely convinced that France will, of her own volition, fall into his angular lap.

The answer De Gaulists give to the second question is, of course, yes. The general's program and philosophy are certainly authoritarian in character and his personal solicitude for legal forms is not particularly tender, but his associates deny with the utmost vehemence that he ever could, or would, become a Fascist dictator. Indeed they stake out an argument—somewhat dubious in spots—to the precise contrary, as to wit:

De Gaulle, they say, far from being a forerunner of fascism, is France's best defence against it. The country is in a condition bordering on anarchy for the simple ethical reason that no one will obey the government. The moral rot has bitten to the bone. Already people talk of "cleaning out" Parliament, "marching on Paris" and so on. The real peril is of a real Fascism spurring out of this anarchy. And, say the De Gaulists, their general is the best—indeed, the only—alternative to such a catastrophe, since he would be a kind of Clemenceau in office, never a Mussolini or a Hitler.

Supported By Fascists

On the other hand, I heard one Frenchman say that he would enthusiastically welcome De Gaulle because he confidently expected that, immediately on assuming power, the general would outlaw the Communist party (the vote of which, he remembered, is roughly 30 per cent of that of the entire nation, and which is the No. 1 party in the National Assembly); shoot the leading Communists, declare martial law and abolish strikes. In other words, even if De Gaulle himself forswears Fascism, a good many of his supporters are overt Fascists.

As to point three, the De Gaulists do not think that the Communists could or would make a revolution if De Gaulle reaches power legally. There might, they concede, be "trouble" and temporary local riots set up in a few towns like Toulouse. But as for the country as a whole—including especially Brittany, the north, Alsace-Lorraine, and even such cities as Marseilles and Toulon—any mass uprising would, the De Gaulists say, be inconceivable.

The official De Gaulists deny that they would outlaw the Communist party. "Nobody," I heard it put, "will deprive the Communists of the right of being a parliamentary minority. But if they make trouble"—again that vague word trouble—"we will deal with them as trouble-makers."

For And Against

The main things to be said for De Gaulle are roughly the following:

1. He derives from the great tradition of European civilization and stands for it firmly. He can make himself highly unpopular on occasion, but he is no crude upstart or parvenu.

2. The super-extreme right (the corrupt and greedy right that helped cause the downfall of France) detests him.

3. He is absolutely honest.

Things that might well be made against him:

1. His defects of character—arrogance, rigidity and an extremity of egoism—may lead him willy-nilly into being a totalitarian dictator.

2. His faith in his mission to "save" France has prompted him to develop an incredibly woolly mysticism. Many of the phrases he uses in speeches are unintelligible.

3. In all the years he has been the creator of a movement, not a single French political leader of consequence has joined him. Around him are adventurers and dilettantes, with a few exceptions.

4. He is anti-American and anti-British, and his German policy makes no sense.

Sources Of His Power

The basic sources of De Gaulle's very considerable power might be skeletonized as follows:

1. The distress, restlessness and apathy of France combine to make people want a strong man as deliverer.

2. The weakness of the French Left, which is split between Communists and Socialists, plays directly into his hands.

3. De Gaulle's own capacities, including his superb war record.

Fundamentally the fate of France depends, I think, on a subtle combination of economic and moral issues. The root problem at present is the crazy climbing disparity between wages and prices. But no government, as of the moment, can put through any drastic measure of amelioration or reform, because it is extremely difficult to impose controls on a nation of 40,000,000 anarchic individualists. Controls do work in England. (See John Gunther, Page 3)

Seeking Agreement Between Wheat Producers, Importers

WASHINGTON (CP)—

Hopes remain reasonably high that an international wheat agreement will emerge from the 55-country conference which started here Jan. 26.

But no one is making firm predictions. There are too many difficulties for that.

The conference basically is a chips-down effort to write stability into the shaky history of world wheat prices—and to get food to hungry millions everywhere.

H. S. M. Ishaque of Pakistan warned the Food and Agriculture Organizations of the United Nations last November that, unless something was done soon, "poverty and privations will send the teeming millions of the east in their sheer desperation, rolling into the arms of the new economic order which has almost an irresistible appeal for the hungry and the poor."

The countries which have wheat—Canada, the United States, Australia and Russia—are reported to have offered a total of 600,000,000 bushels a year for five years. But they want a price of \$2 and a minimum of \$1.10. A fifth producer, Argentina, apparently has made no commitment.

\$2 is at least 20 cents too much. They're holding out for a \$1.80 maximum and a floor price of

\$1.30, dropping 10 cents annually to a minimum of 90 cents in the fifth year of the agreement.

OWN-YOUR-OWN APARTMENTS

Victoria's first apartment dwelling to operate on the purchase rather than rental plan is now open for public inspection, owners report.

Under the name Kingscrest Apartments, the new 27-suite building, located in the 500 block of Vancouver Street, will provide Victorians with their first opportunity to "own a suite" rather than occupy as rent-paying tenants.

NOT ALL FINISHED

The firm has four apartment buildings in Vancouver operating under the tenant-purchase plan and is constructing another at the present time, it is reported.

Work on the Kingscrest will not be finished until June 1, agents state. Some suites, however, are already completed and are open for inspection, they say. One of the completed suites has been furnished by a local firm as a "sample."

Suites are of one or two-bedroom type and are fully insulated and sound-proofed, it is reported.

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INCANDESCENT AND FLUORESCENT

Sweden Loses Hope Of Neutrality In New War

STOCKHOLM (AP)—A Swedish source in direct touch with Scandinavian defence planning made clear today that Sweden fears an eventual east-west war and wants to participate in the North Atlantic pact without risking offence to Russia by signing it.

In the course of a conference with 14 touring U.S. newspapermen, this source gave the following picture:

The Swedes would like to standardize arms with the United States.

They want raw materials from the United States to increase arms output and thus supply Norway and Denmark with a large part of their military needs.

They want to consult with western military experts on co-operation in defence.

They expect the western powers to come to their aid quickly if Scandinavia should become a battleground.

If an attack should be aimed directly at Scandinavia, Sweden expects to be able to resist for several weeks or months. If war should begin in some other quarter of the world she does not contemplate immediate entrance into the conflict.

Swedish thought has been revolutionized, however, by sudden abandonment of the country's 135-year tradition of neutrality. Sweden has virtually no hope of remaining neutral in any third World War.

Salmon From Russia Guarded While Being Unloaded At Liverpool

LONDON (CP)—Food Minister John Strachey will be asked Wednesday why a security watch was needed on the unloading at Liverpool of a £2,000,000 (\$8,000,000) cargo of Russian canned salmon and crab.

Hugh Fraser, Conservative, gave notice today that he will ask in the Commons: "Why were at least 12 cars, each carrying two officials... necessary in Liverpool docks to supervise the unloading and warehousing of a cargo of Russian canned fish?"

The food ministry officers who directed the security guard reached London today. They are here for conferences connected with further checks of cargo safety.

Ministry officials said the security measures, believed unprecedented in peacetime, were organized partly to combat widespread thefts outside unloading areas. During the last year goods valued at more than £3,000,000 worth of goods were stolen while in transit.

\$185,000 Is Cost Of Wage Raise To School Teachers

The 20 per cent salary increase now granted Greater Victoria school district teachers will cost Greater Victoria approximately \$185,000.

The city's share of that is 61 per cent or approximately \$111,000. On the basis of the 1948 mill rate value, which was \$40,000, the increase represents slightly over 2 1/2 mills.

The teachers' proposal for a 27 to 32 per cent increase in the schedule would have cost \$330,000. T. L. Christie, secretary to the school board of the Greater Victoria district, said today.

Asked to comment on the award, Mayor Percy George said he had not seen a copy of it, or of the details.

"Without the facts and figures to analyze the situation, the award seems reasonable, in so far as the teachers and those who must pay it are concerned."

The teachers were certainly entitled to some increase, in line with increases granted by the City Council to other services," the mayor said. "I see great justification in some increase, even if it does raise the taxes."

Langlie's Tax Plan Goes To Legislature

OLYMPIA, Wash. (AP)—Governor Langlie of Washington handed his income tax plan to the Legislature today.

With it went his proposal to cut out tokens used in collecting the state sales tax. Tax collections would be made under a schedule to be set up by the tax commission.

The Langlie label "by executive request" dominated the 41 measures dumped on the Legislature today.

The income tax bill provides a 2 per cent levy on net incomes over \$1,000.

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land, But England has a standard of public and political morality which France has not.

Consider the single but weighty important matter of taxes. It is practically a point of honor for the average Frenchman, like the average Italian, not to pay taxes at all—much less a fair tax—if he can possibly get away with it, and he usually can.

All this being said, France is by no means finished yet. Things are not good; but year by year they get a little better. Stalin himself said recently that he had thought that it would take 30 years for France to get back on its feet, but that as things were going now it would take only three or four. Nor should anybody ever forget or minimize what France went through—five years of German occupation, and then two in which the chief denominator of power was the black market.

Attitude Toward Germany

Finally, a word on French attitudes toward Germany. It will come as a severe shock to most Americans to know that the number of French planes participating in the airlift to Berlin is exactly two.

There are, of course, several reasons for this. One is that the French cannot get very excited about whether or not Germans starve to death. The more dead Germans, the better it is for France. Another is that the French oppose anything that emphasizes the role of Berlin, the city, in Germany, and therefore dislike it heartily. Besides, Berlin is almost as remote as Irkutsk to most Frenchmen these days. They think of it as a potato patch somewhere out in Asia.

What France wants is a Germany, permanently weak and, if possible, divided. Hence the continual stubborn obstruction by France to practically every step the Americans and British take to put Germany on its feet. General Clay and General Koening, the French Military Governor, are scarcely on speaking terms. The French provoke and irritate us and hold off agreement on an issue as long as possible, and then do agree only because they fear that if they don't they might lose Marshall aid.

Of Great Importance

In their own German zone, however, they have put through a cultural program of considerable interest and importance.

The French are, I heard it put, "the weak sisters of Europe, because they want war least." Nevertheless, they are of colossal importance to United States policy. Suppose a Communist coup should come in France; France would be neutralized if war broke out, and the Americans (as the Communists love to point out) would have no beachhead for an expeditionary force. Hence, it is Communist policy to keep France vulnerable and unsettled. The Communist line to the French is, in effect, "Play ball with us, and we won't overrun France when we take Germany."

But it might not work out that way. I have heard American officers say bitterly, "The French try to talk us into their

Report U.S. May Pull Out Of Japan Arouses Australians

SYDNEY, Australia (AP)—Australia has just had a scare. A published suggestion that the United States might pull out of Japan caused it.

A U.S. army spokesman in Washington denied the report. Army Secretary Kenneth Royall said in Honolulu he knew of no plan to reduce American strength in Japan.

But Australians apparently had not thought of the possibility that the United States might pull out of Japan and the mere hint of it was enough to give them goose flesh.

Almost every newspaper in Australia had an editorial today

on Australia's defence position. Not one had a word of cheer for the readers.

Typical headlines:

The Sydney Sun: "All by Ourselves in the Pacific."

The Brisbane Courier-Mail: "Out on a Limb."

The Melbourne Argus: "Geographical Reminder."

The newspapers said the Tokyo story could not be dismissed as mere fantasy despite the denial. Royall's statement, they said, was evasive. They would like to have a more definite, official statement.

The papers also fired some shots at Australia's foreign policy.

Philadelphia's Daily Strike Loss \$10,000,000

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Philadelphia's millions, on foot or in automobiles, felt the full impact of the four-day-old transit strike today. But most of the people got to work anyway.

It was a nightmare of travel. Cars and trucks, bumper to bumper, clogged the city's streets. Police estimated more than 400,000 vehicles were in use, twice the normal number.

The 3,850 drivers and mechanics of the Yellow Cab Com-

pany voted to postpone a strike until 6 a.m. Thursday. The walkout had been set to start at midnight tonight. Similar action was expected from 300 independent cab drivers.

Business and industry groaned. The Chamber of Commerce set the daily strike loss at \$10,000,000. In wages alone, the chamber said, Philadelphians are losing nearly \$2,000,000.

Some factories reported absenteeism up to 30 per cent.

At Ice Barrier

SYDNEY, Australia (Reuter)—The French Antarctic expedition ship Comandant Charcot has reached pack ice about 50 miles from her destination, the French dependency of Adelle Land, it was learned here Sunday. The ship is carrying a number of scientists to study the resources of the Antarctic dependency.

Aid For Hospitals

OTTAWA (CP)—Four short courses for accountants in Saskatchewan's hospitals will be financed with funds from the federal health grants for professional training, the health department announced today.

LONDON (AP)—Foreign Secretary Bevin was scheduled to meet separately today with the foreign ministers of Norway and Turkey.

policy of keeping Germany permanently weak. But if war comes, they'll want us, the Americans, to make it strong, or it will have to be us, the Americans, who will have the job of defending them against both the Germans and the Russians."

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Mr. Gunther concludes his twelve-article series tomorrow with some general observations on Europe as seen from the vantage point of England.

Consuls Would Like Peace Approach To Reds In Peiping

PEIPING (AP)—Foreign quarters her await, somewhat impatiently, the day the Communists establish some channel for contact with them in this Red-held city.

Business men are particularly desirous of making contact with responsible officials. A few who remained here did so with the idea of trade.

Foreign correspondents, as matters stand, have no way of getting first-hand some idea of various Communist policies—land reform, trade, foreign affairs.

One theory is that the Reds took Peiping sooner than expected; as a result, they are not prepared for the many complicated problems in this big North China city.

Consular quarters would like to have some approach to the Communists. There are six consulates—U.S., British, Soviet, Dutch, Italian and Belgian. They could deal with the Reds without any suggestion of recognition implied on either side.

Mercy Plane Picks Up 2 Sick Eskimos

EDMONTON (CP)—An air force mercy plane left a small Arctic post today carrying two of eight Eskimos seriously ill with a "mysterious" disease.

Northwest Command of the R.C.A.F. at Edmonton said preliminary reports from the mercy plane gave no indication as to plans for evacuation of six other Eskimos suffering from the mystery malady.

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No Embarrassment Over Newfoundland Military Bases

OTTAWA (CP)—Prime Minister St. Laurent, returning from Washington, said today talks with President Truman had satisfied him that the negotiations over Newfoundland military bases now held by the United States will be settled "without embarrassment."

The Prime Minister did not elaborate in a brief interview as he stepped off the train in the Union Station at 11:50 a.m. E.S.T.

He said he wished to say no more about a northern radar network.

Newspapermen, he added, had already said twice as much as he had.

He did not plan to make any statement to Parliament on his trip since there was nothing urgent.

Margarine Debate In Manitoba House

WINNIPEG (CP)—A resolution scheduled to be introduced in the Manitoba Legislature tonight by Edmond Prefontaine, L.P., Carillon, will ask the government to regulate the sale of margarine and prevent it from being colored yellow.

He said in an interview he was primarily concerned with preventing margarine from being colored yellow by its makers. He had no objection to its being sold more cheaply than butter, and he had no intention of advocating that a special tax be imposed on it.

The resolution is expected to touch off a lengthy debate.

Israeli Protest

JERUSALEM (AP)—Prime Minister David Ben-Gurion has served notice on the United Nations Palestine conciliation commission that Israel will oppose the internationalization of Jerusalem.

Ice Crushes Doe

PORT HOPE, Ont. (CP)—A small doe was crushed to death by ice floes in Lake Ontario despite a two-hour fight to save her. The deer was chased into the water by a small dog, and police and firemen of Port Hope were called to the rescue. Heavy ice prevented rescue by boat and attempts to lasso the animal failed.

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THE DEVIOUS "WAR OF NERVES"
Now being conducted by the Chinese Communists against the National Government has entered another phase with the news that the rebel forces have given approval to the opening of peace negotiations within 30 days. Still holding the military advantage, the Communists are in a position to set their own time for such a meeting. They may also be able to set their own conditions, provided these do not push the already shaken government too far. The demand originally imposed as a prior condition of any peace talks—that Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek and a number of his leaders be taken into custody for trial as war criminals—was not mentioned in the latest report. As the government had given every indication that it was unwilling, and indeed unable, to fulfill such a condition, the question of further insistence on this point is left open to speculation.

Perhaps the Communists feel that Chiang will be within their grasp anyway by the end of the period they have specified, or else they have placed that consideration on the list of business to be completed when they have taken over the country. The latter success, of course, is not yet a foregone conclusion. Resistance in the southern provinces has solidified and may be of a nature to put up a stout defence. And it is difficult to believe that the Generalissimo, who left active government leadership to seek solace in his ancestral home, is meditating idly beneath the trees while the China to which he devoted his life crumbles about him.

AT THE HALF-CENTURY

THE ANNOUNCEMENT THAT WINSTON Churchill will address the convocation of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology at Cambridge next month will inevitably be linked with recollections of his famous "Iron Curtain" speech delivered at Fulton, Mo., three years ago—a piece of oratory that stirred national capitals in all parts of the globe and predicted with startling accuracy much that has since transpired in the realm of international politics. The subject of the Cambridge address—"The 20th Century; its Promise and Realization"—should provide sufficient scope for a man of Mr. Churchill's talents to include the major facets of his current opinions. And it will be unusual, as well as disappointing, if this master of rhetoric and maker of history does not come up with some thought-provoking statements.

The former British Prime Minister, as one of the "greats" of the century, is well qualified to speak at this convocation which was called to summarize the achievements of this first half of the 20th Century and speculate on the possibilities of the next 50 years. And we should not be far wrong in hazarding a guess that his words will be received with as much interest among the leaders of the Soviet bloc as they will be by the peoples of the West to whom they will be addressed.

NOTABLE ACQUISITION

IN THE COURSE OF A LONG ASSOCIATION with this community, the Canadian National Railways has shown continued faith and confidence in Victoria. Today, as officers declare open the new C.N.R. building at the northwest corner of Government and Fort Streets, one more indication of that appreciation of the city's potentialities is displayed. This is a thoroughly modern and attractive structure, calculated to add an elegant appearance to the utilitarian demands of an excellent service. But it is more than that.

The Canadian National, which disclosed its appreciation for engineering abilities and craftsmanship in this locality so recently by entrusting to a Victoria yard the construction of its new steamer for the northern British Columbia run, has again done its part to prove the progressiveness of this capital by establishing an office building in keeping with the times and representative of the vitality of the business life here.

Victorians, who have enjoyed the service and friendship of this transportation and communications agency for so many years, join with the C.N.R. officers and staffs in expressing satisfaction for the acquisition of such a notable addition to the downtown architecture.

THEY NEED OUR BOOKS

WITHIN THE NEXT FEW DAYS OR WEEKS, the intensified drive for library material to assist the restocking of war-ravaged European institutions will be drawing to a close. The need for more and better books, of course, will not be at an end. But in order to make as impressive a showing as possible in the "March of Books" it is desirable that those in a position to donate useful volumes act promptly. By an imposing contribution opportunity will be given our friends across the sea to understand more easily Canada's unquestioned desire to help those who are less fortunate.

This is more than an appeal for enter-

taining reading, valuable as that might be in relieving the tedium of lives from which war's aftermath has removed much of the sparkle. It is an injunction to us to do our part to restore the cultural wealth of a continent to which we owe an historical debt. What we can provide in the shape of encyclopaedias, yearbooks, classics, authoritative scientific and technological publications and standard works on history, music, literary criticism, philosophy and religion help to fill in the gaps that have been blasted in the educational and thought-stimulating treasure-houses of a thousand Old World centres. In recognition of what we have received from them in the past, we are under an obligation to assist them in their time of need.

PROSPECTS BETTER

ANNOUNCEMENT IN THE LEGISLATURE on Friday that the government "is prepared to enter into a Dominion-Provincial-Municipal joint conference" to develop a program of low-rental housing projects will have been received with general approval in this province. Although 9,000 homes have been built in British Columbia under the veterans' housing program sponsored by Ottawa, and "several thousand more" will be completed this year, there is still an urgent need in many communities for accommodation within the reach of the average wage earner. The Union of B.C. Municipalities gave full recognition to the situation at the last meeting of that organization, when the tri-partite conference was suggested. The formal approval now given the proposal by the provincial government should help to bring it a step nearer fruition. No effort should be spared while the need remains so acute.

THE BUILDINGS ARE NEEDED

IN THE LIGHT OF HOSPITAL NEEDS, made more apparent by the influx of patients to curative establishments since the beginning of the year, and in view of the greater efficiency that is promised by consolidating government departments under one roof, the building program announced in the Premier's policy speech will be greeted with genuine satisfaction. In order to take advantage of Dominion Government assistance, it is necessary to embark on hospital construction programs without delay. Costs admittedly are high. But where the interests of health are served, and where greater economy and co-ordination can be achieved, action is justified.

AVOID DECEPTION

THE COMPLAINT THAT SOME COAST Indian curios, totem poles and other souvenir articles are being made in Japan rather than by the natives of this region has been voiced in Vancouver. It is not a new protest. Many a tourist in pre-war days bought small baskets and other "local work" under the impression he was getting a genuine British Columbia article, only to find on later scrutiny that the souvenir was marked "Made in Japan."

We are all for fostering legitimate trade with the former enemy country. But trade should be of mutual advantage to the countries participating, and we can see no particular good in continuing a form of business that harms not only the natives of this region, who deserve every encouragement in their particular industry, but also our relations with visitors who buy the imported articles and later feel swindled. Short of banning importation of the Japanese goods, they should be plainly and indisputably marked with their country of origin.

EXPRESSION OF OPINION

A NEWS ITEM TELLING OF THE enthronement of Archbishop Stefan Wyszyński as Archbishop of Warsaw last week reveals that "thousands of Poles" gathered in front of the cathedral and sang "God Give Us Back Our Freedom." Such a demonstration, apart from its religious significance, affords an indication of political opinion that will not have been lost on the Communist regime which at present rules Poland. That thousands of citizens were moved to give public expression to such sentiments in song gives rise to a suspicion that the Marxist government—the puppet of Moscow—does not inspire that unanimity of support and admiration to which it makes claim. And that the people are forced, through fear of reprisals, to give vent to their political desires under the guise of celebrating a religious occasion provides further evidence, if any were needed, that the "freedom" which the "new democracy" promises has somehow fallen short of the advertised standard.

NO 'DICKEL'

ONCE AGAIN THE SUGGESTION HAS been advanced in the United States that a new coin be struck with a value of seven and one-half cents—a "dickel," if you wish, halfway between a dime and a nickel. The sponsor of the revival of this proposal has sought support for the scheme from soft drink bottlers of California and Nevada, and has explained to them that inflation will soon make nickel sales of soda pop impossible. In this community the five-cent drink is a memory—one we like to recall. And it may be noted that, within recent days, force has been given to a widely-known United States political declaration with the restoration to that country of a five-cent cigar. We can muster scant enthusiasm for a new coin to buy a beverage. But we can direct the attention of its proposer to the action of the cigar-maker, and with considerable eagerness, too.

Walter Lippmann

A VERY SERIOUS BUSINESS

THE SCANDINAVIAN CRISIS, which has brought the Norwegian foreign minister, Mr. Lange, to Washington, is a very serious business. If it is not handled with foresight and firmness, there is reason to think that it will develop into something as dangerous, as difficult, and as costly as Berlin.

For here once more inexperienced and overzealous officials have, quite unnecessarily and in disregard of the warnings that were given to them privately by responsible men at least three months ago, precipitated a showdown before any one is ready to deal with it.

WHILE the North Atlantic Security Pact was still a paper project—before there was even an agreed draft of the treaty—before it had been shown even to the leaders of the United States Senate, much less to the American people—before anything definite had even been planned as to how the military obligations were to be financed and administered, these thoughtless officials began exerting pressure on the Scandinavian countries to come forward and announce that they wished to join.

One would think that organizing a security pact was like collecting testimonials for an advertising campaign. For what purpose was served by asking these small and dangerously exposed countries to enter a military arrangement which the United States itself had not yet entered? Why, it would be interesting to know, should the Norwegian, Danish and Swedish parliaments be asked, or expected, to say they approve a treaty which has not yet been published in the United States, much less debated and approved by the Senate?

THE RESULT of this action on the part of American officials has been to expose the Scandinavians to all the risks of membership in the Atlantic Pact without affording them any of the additional security which this pact may eventually provide. For, unlike the United States or any of the other original members, they have an open military frontier with the Soviet Union. The moment any one of them announced, or even indicated, an intention to join, the whole of Scandinavia and also Finland incurred all the liabilities of membership.

Now Mr. Lange is in Washington asking when and how the United States will insure his country, when and how she will meet the moral commitment which is hers because of the pressure she has exerted on Scandinavia. . . . How much wiser it would have been to let well enough alone, do the first things first, and to advise Norwegian friends not to jump the gun—but to wait and see!

THE BASIC ERROR which the United States has made in Scandinavia is similar to that which was made last spring in regard to Germany and Berlin. It is the result of a failure to realize the difference between acting in areas within the reach of the Red Army and in areas beyond its reach.

Thus against the Marshall plan, and even against the original North Atlantic Security Pact, the Soviets could use only propaganda and at worst their fifth column. They could not interfere with military force because that would have been an overt act of war. But against the decision to set up a German government with its capital at Frankfurt and to introduce a western German currency into Berlin, they could react with military measures—in themselves quite serious, yet short of war.

WHEN I WAS IN BERLIN I admired, as all must have seen it and ridden it, the airlift. But I also had a look at the Russian blockade. At the point where I saw it, a main highway into Berlin, it consisted of a wooden pole, painted red and white, which blocked the highway, a sentry box, one Russian soldier with a rifle, and two German policemen. Out of sight, but no doubt near at hand and on call, there were undoubtedly some Russian troops lounging in their barracks. The contrast between this cheap and effortless device and the great four-engined C-54's carrying coal and carrots and dried potatoes day and night was one which every diplomat would do well to ponder.

For if this Scandinavian crisis is not resolved wisely, the same kind of thing is likely to develop there. Some Russian troops will move through Finland (which is now being attacked by the Soviet propaganda) to the borders of Sweden and Norway.

THE SWEDES and Norwegians will then have to mobilize some troops and move them to their frontiers. Frantic calls will be issued for American help, and some thing equivalent of the airlift will hastily have to be improvised.

Having gotten over half her military transport planes locked up in the Berlin operation, the United States will be faced with the need to lock up some other part of her available military reserves in Scandinavia. The Russians will have imposed a heavy military and economic and emotional strain on Scandinavia, and on the United States a most difficult task, at virtually no cost to themselves.

For their soldiers can sit down on the Swedish and Norwegian frontiers with no more trouble, and at no more risk, than wherever it is that they are sitting today. But the United States will be compelled to act with furious energy to restore the balance which has been upset.

Christopher Columbus was a pirate in the French service—Tivadar J. Csikszentmihalyi of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences.

Storm Cellar



The Indonesian Situation

By F. H. STAVELAND

SINCE the war ended—on paper, that is—certain elements have succeeded in building up in part of the western and eastern world a belief that Holland wants to restore her former "Colonial" empire in Indonesia. Some of those "believers" are calling Holland all kinds of names now, especially since Dec. 19, when the Dutch police action to restore law and order against the "Republic of Indonesia" started. Where even in other respects, "well-meaning" people have fallen for this kind of propaganda, I hope, Mr. Editor, that you will give some space to try to give the general public a more realistic stand on the situation.

Here are some of the main facts:

1. In 1942—long before the United Nations was established—Queen Wilhelmina of Holland, in a broadcast from England, promised postwar freedom and autonomy to all Indonesia along federal lines.
2. When Japan surrendered, none of the Allies had forces immediately available to take the Japs in the former Dutch East Indies into custody and institute a semblance of administration over these vast regions. Result was that looting, murdering Javanese mobs, trained and abetted by the Japanese army, started a series of atrocities against whites, Eurasians and Indonesians, who did not want to go along with them. This western world knows very little about or wants to ignore; some going so far as to look at these terrorists as "noble messengers of freedom," while castigating the Dutch, claiming that they want to restore colonialism.
3. Jap collaborators proclaimed the "Republic of Indonesia" in August, 1945. Moderate elements in the republic could not make their wish to co-operate with the Dutch prevail; the "terrorists," elements, communistic or otherwise, have had the upper hand. The U.N.-sponsored "Renville" agreement (made Jan., 1948) has not been lived up to by the republic, simply because the terrorist elements did not want to.
4. As of Nov., 1948, the Republic of Indonesia comprises the central part of Java (home of the Javanese), the western tip of Java and the greater part of Sumatra, together forming one-third of the population; the so-called Federal Territories comprise the other three-fourths of Indonesia and two-thirds of the population. They consist of five states. These parts of the Federal Territories are of equal status, just as the 48 states of the American Republic and the provinces of Canada. The same status has been offered the "Republic of Indonesia" but—the "terrorist" elements in that

republic are not content with such an equal status. They want to boss the rest of Indonesia. The rest of Indonesia, the much greater part in territory and population, does not want any of such "bossing," though perfectly willing to co-operate.

5. The autonomous area above mentioned has made an amazing economic progress, with the active help of the Dutch. The "Republic of Indonesia" could have made similar progress by co-operating with the Dutch, but did not. And so a great part of its population still lives on the brink of starvation, while the world goes without the extra they could produce.

6. Jan. 1, 1949, had been set quite some time ago as the date on which the second step to complete independence would be taken—the institution of the "Federated Commonwealth of Indonesia"—and the Dutch had to do everything possible to live up to this promise. The unwillingness or inability of the Republic of Indonesia to do its share to co-operate, forced the Dutch to the steps taken in December, 1948.

Having always had the interests of the Indonesians at heart during the 20 years I lived and worked in the former Dutch East Indies, I can only hope that this problem will be solved without further bloodshed.

Hot Questions--Warm Answers--Cold Facts

By JAMES THRASHER from New York

MARSHAL STALIN may be kidding the Russian people with his warnings of capitalistic aggression, but it is doubtful that he is kidding himself. If he is, the American response to his latest discourse of sweet reason on the subject of peace should reassure him.

CORRECT REACTION

His answers to an American correspondent's four questions got serious and dignified attention in this country. Newspapers generally gave them a big play. Congressmen, diplomats and U.N. representatives were either soberly hopeful or discreetly silent. And the reaction was surely correct.

Mr. Stalin is, after all, the head of the Soviet government—nominally if not actually. If he wants to shed a little mild sweet news and cold light, there is no official course except to listen with respect. As a sincerely peace-loving as well as a diplomatically well-mannered government, it is the only thing to do. But what did Mr. Stalin say? He told the International News Service no more than he had told the Associated Press, the United Press, Harold Stassen and several others. In fact, he told the INS even less than he had some earlier questioners. For the latest queries were put in such a way that he had only to answer yes or no. They were mild questions that avoided the basic causes of East-West differences. To have answered no

Communist leaders. If so it necessary, though not pleasant, to look at some of the acts in the centre ring which took place while this sideshow was going on.

Russia was putting pressure on Norway to stay out of the Atlantic alliance. A Russian White Paper was charging that this alliance is part of an Anglo-American plan of world domination. German Communist leaders were playing the same tune. And, of course, the Berlin blockade held.

So maybe this would be a good time to call a moratorium on Stalin quiz sessions. They may not take up much of the Russian leader's time. But they don't tell us anything now that we don't already know.

It is well established by now that when Mr. Stalin consents to answer questions put by American visitors or newspapermen, his replies are polite, pleasant and strictly "good old Joe." It is just as well established that these amenable answers have never yet been translated into Soviet policy.

WAIT TILL THEN

The next time we hear such sentiments from Mr. Stalin, we hope they will come as a climax to careful, exhaustive negotiations between the Kremlin and the White House and State Department. That will be the time for the world to begin hoping that the start of a road toward real peace has been found.



By DeWITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press News Analyst

THE RUSSIAN writer, David Zaslavsky, says in the Moscow Literary Gazette that it's impossible to be genuinely educated without knowledge of the Russian language.

Zaslavsky claims that the "countries of the new democracy" (meaning Moscow's satellites) are learning the tongue, and that even Russia's enemies are studying it. He adds that "The Voice of America" (the United States official broadcast) lies in Russian.

Well, I'm afraid we can't take it for granted that there is a widespread thirst for Russian in the United States merely because "The Voice of America" employs it in some broadcasts. However, it certainly is to be hoped Russian isn't being neglected by American authorities.

After all, Americans should be more than stupid if they didn't acquaint themselves as far possible with the country which has declared that the democratic form of government, way of life and religion must be destroyed.

NEED RUSSIAN

Should a hot war grow out of the present cold war (which heaven forbid), the United States should look mighty sick if she didn't have plenty of citizens who knew Russian—and a lot of other things pertaining to the land of Communism.

There has been in the United States a tendency—now happily disappearing—to play ostrich to the evils of Communism. Americans have tried to avoid discussing the facts about Communism, hoping thus (1) to avoid friction with Russia and (2) to prevent the spread of this ism among the American people.

This tendency has been responsible for the heated argument over whether Communism and the affairs of the Soviet Union should be discussed in the classrooms of United States universities and high schools. Many institutions have continued to put the facts before their students and there is a growing feeling that this is no time to play ostrich with the subject.

There is recognition that the only way to combat a great evil is to learn all there is to know about it.

GOVERNMENT BEST SOURCE

But where is the best to get the real facts, in view of the Iron Curtain? Naturally we aren't going to get them from sources controlled by Moscow. I think the answer is that we must depend mainly on our own government—and on our own press for our information.

Washington is steadily and increasingly giving the inside facts to the public.

American correspondents who are working behind the Iron Curtain also are doing a grand job of objective reporting. Naturally they are up against a tough censorship, but daily they are adding to the west's knowledge of how Communism works, and information about the lives of the peoples who are under Red Moscow's rule.

The way it looks from here, a realistic education about Communism is our greatest defence against the undoubted evils of that ism.



PROFIT-SHARING

J. L. Rutledge
Before we get ourselves unduly excited over how little our dollar will do for us these days, mightn't it be worth reflecting on how little we will do for our dollar? Before we worry too much about profits we might think of putting our backs into our effort a little bit more. If, say, we made our dollar worth ten cents more, as we could easily do, we would gain as much as if we divided among us every dollar distributed in dividends and more than half as much again.

STUPID FOLK

Ottawa Citizen
The word "stupid" lends itself more, perhaps, to subjective interpretation than any other in the language. When Mr. J. Howard Whitehouse, headmaster of a British school, tells of a "stupid" conference that no boy is stupid, although some are slow, he stands on firm ground. A man considered stupid by his employers may be a genius to his family. Two men may each hold the other to be dolt, but themselves unusually intelligent. In the shifting sands of personal opinion, can anyone say with certainty who is stupid?

Much of what we call "stupidity" actually depends on the value people give to certain fields of knowledge. Only too often, it is called "stupid," which is obviously a rather stupid thing to do.

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Pope Says Mindszenty Trial Not Fairly Reported

VATICAN CITY (AP)—Pope Pius declared today that when a civil government contradicts divine and human rights, "bishops and the faithful themselves are bound by their conscience to resist unjust laws."

Addressing a secret and extraordinary consistory of the College of Cardinals of the Roman Catholic Church on the case of Joseph Cardinal Mindszenty, the Pontiff asked prayers to the end that:

"... Those who rashly trample on the liberty of the church and the rights of human conscience may at length understand that

no civil society can endure when religion has been oppressed and God, as it were, driven into exile."

The Pope said "our soul is crushed with most bitter grief" by the trial and condemnation of the Hungarian Primate.

In a brief speech to 16 cardinals in the consistorial hall of the apostolic palace, the Pontiff declared the Hungarian Primate's trial had not been fairly reported.

REQUESTS REFUSED

"As you are aware, the full light of publicity did not shine over the trial of this prelate, who deserved so well, in defending the religion of his ancestors and in the restoration of Christian morals. In fact, from the beginning, the news that arrived caused alarm. People outside Hungary who asked permission to be present at the trial were refused permission if they seemed likely to judge impartially or to give a sincere report: this led them to believe, and all upright and honest men as well, that those who were conducting the trial in Budapest seemed to be afraid to allow all to see what was taking place."

"But although the facts have not been reliably made known or reported clearly and completely, we cannot omit mentioning the judgment which all civilized people have passed on this trial."

"The principal object of the trial," the Pope said, "was to disrupt the (Roman) Catholic Church in Hungary and precisely for the purpose set forth in the sacred Scripture:

"I shall strike the shepherd, and the sheep of the flock shall be dispersed" (Mat. xxvi, 31).

'SECRET INFLUENCES'

The Pope declared Cardinal Mindszenty's physical condition during the trial was "inexplicable except as the result of secret influences which may not be publicly revealed; to prove this there is the fact that a man endowed with the full vigor of a forceful nature suddenly appears weak and mentally unbalanced."

The Pontiff branded "completely false" the Hungarian government's assertions that "the whole question at issue was that this Apostolic see, in furtherance of plans for political domination of nations, gave instructions to oppose the Republic of Hungary and its rulers."

"We are doing," the Pontiff told the 16 assembled princes of the Roman Catholic Church, "what the outraged rights of the church and the dignity of the human person clearly demand."

This apparently was a reference to the excommunication of all those involved in the arrest, trial and imprisonment of the Hungarian Primate and his sentencing to life imprisonment in Budapest last week.

The unprecedented assembly convened six days after Cardinal Mindszenty was sentenced to life imprisonment by a Hungarian court.

FIRST IN CENTURIES

The leader of the church in Hungary was the first cardinal in modern times arrested while actually wearing the purple of a prince of the church.

Of the 16 cardinals in attendance 14 were from the Vatican and two from Italian sees.

The Pontiff's allocution contained no mention of further ecclesiastical punishment.

It was a speech phrased in sorrow rather than anger.

"Let us all pray to God fervently," the Pope said, "that those who suffer persecution, imprisonment and hardship, may be consoled with the necessary help of Divine grace."

The imprisonment of the Hungarian cardinal was "a most serious outrage which inflicts a deep wound not only on your distinguished college and on the church but also on every upholder of the dignity and liberty of man."

The Pope declared that "everybody knows the Catholic Church does not act through worldly motives, and she accepts any and every form of civil government, provided it be not inconsistent with Divine and human rights. But when it does contradict these rights, bishops and the faithful themselves are bound by their conscience to resist unjust laws."

Laurier Club To Hear World Traveler

Speaker at a Laurier Club meeting at the Music Box Cafe, 3240 Douglas Street, Friday at 6.15 will be Herbert S. Little, whose subject will be "International Affairs." Mr. Little is a world traveler and has attended many conferences throughout the North American Continent. He is associated with the Institute of Pacific Relations of which the Canadian Institute of International Affairs is an affiliate.

Pupils Present Safety Program

A classroom program summarizing "Safety in Travel to and from School" was presented by Grades 1 and 2 students of Craigflower School last week when they played host to 35 parents and friends.

The pupils have been studying the subject in social studies and particular emphasis has been placed on it because of the proximity of the school to the Island Highway.

T. Kay, safety supervisor of the Vancouver Island Coach Lines Ltd., spoke to the meeting, and J. Gough, municipal inspector of schools, emphasized the value of pupil participation in such a program.

The afternoon program was closed with a demonstration of visual education. A safety film, was shown by means of a new projector acquired by the school with assistance of the Craigflower P.T.A. and the Greater Victoria School Board.

To Represent City At Red Cross Parley

Five executive members of the Victoria and district Red Cross branch will represent this city at the 30th annual meeting of the B.C. division, Canadian Red Cross Society, to be held this week in Vancouver.

Those attending will be Col. J. Q. Gillan, president of the Victoria branch; Col. M. W. Turner, treasurer; Miss Sara Spencer, Mrs. W. Hobart Molson and Stewart G. Clark.

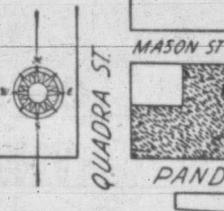
More than 100 delegates from branches in all parts of the province are expected at the meeting which opens Thursday. Principal speaker will be Howard T. Mitchell, immediate past president of the Vancouver Board of Trade.

Dr. L. David Cowie, B.S., Th.B., D.D., pastor of the University Presbyterian Church, Seattle, Wash., will be guest speaker at an interdenominational rally Wednesday at 8, in First Baptist Church. Dr. Cowie has made a 15,000-mile tour of

Central and South America in order to see first-hand the work that is being done on the mission fields. He has been a popular

speaker at civic clubs, universities and colleges and for Youth For Christ rallies all over the continent.

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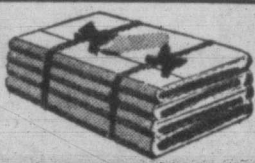
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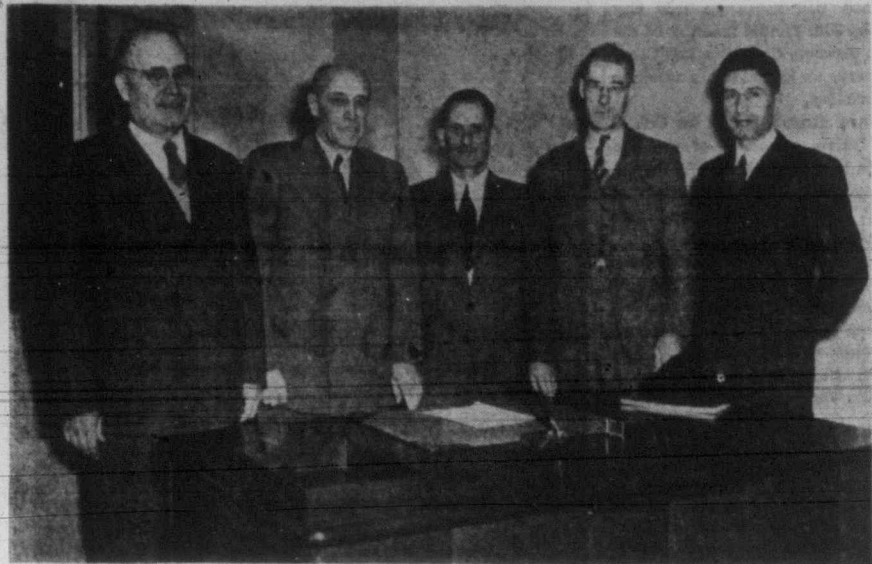


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Departmental heads of the Canadian National Railways here who moved into new offices at Fort and Government Streets today are shown above. Left to right, they are: J. J. Raleigh, district freight agent; H. Ross Wilkinson, division engineer; Frank Snow, acting express agent; B. A. Boate, telegraphs manager; and Austin I. Curtis, general agent, passenger department.

Now a well-known institution in Victoria, following many years of service here, the Canadian National Railways' organization has grown in size and importance since the days when its predecessor companies first became established on Vancouver Island. From the humble beginnings, in small, scattered quarters, with a handful of employees, today the company's activities and personnel reach large proportions in the business life of Victoria and district.

Officers of the system in charge of departments located in the Canadian National's new building at the corner of Government and Fort Streets, are: Austin I. Curtis, general agent, passenger department; J. J. Raleigh, district freight agent; B. A. Boate, telegraphs manager; J. G. Atherley, express agent; H. Wilkinson, division engineer.

Passenger activities of the company started here in 1910 when the late W. E. Duperow, who later rose to become passenger traffic manager, Western Region, opened the Victoria office of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway at 909 Wharf Street. Assisting him was Charles F. Earle, who took charge as city passenger and ticket agent, when Mr. Duperow was transferred.

In 1921, when the G.T.P. became part of the Canadian National system, Mr. Earle was appointed district passenger agent, with office at 911 Government Street, holding the post until his retirement last year, when he was succeeded by Mr. Curtis.

K. E. McLeod, now general passenger agent, C.N.R., B.C. District, in Vancouver, opened the passenger department of the

Canadian Northern Railway at 623 Fort Street, in 1916, and when transferred was succeeded by G. M. Hemsworth, now traveling passenger agent, Vancouver.

In 1921, the Canadian Northern, along with the Grand Trunk Pacific, was merged into the Canadian National system, and came under the direction of Mr. Earle.

Serving the company's freight department here have been the late W. S. R. Cameron, general agent, 1915-19; J. D. Cameron, city freight agent, 1919-21; and now freight traffic representative, Vancouver; H. A. Stuart, 1921-37; R. E. Johnston, 1931-35; now division freight agent, Edmonton; the late R. C. Fair, 1935-37; A. Campbell, district freight agent, 1937-46; now division freight agent, Winnipeg; J. J. Raleigh, 1946-49.

The company's express department

started in Victoria in 1910 when Mr. Earle, in addition to his passenger duties, was agent of the original Canadian Express Company, which later became the Canadian National Express. Mr. Earle held the express agency until his retirement, when he was succeeded in that particular work by J. G. Atherley. The latter, unfortunately, has been on sick leave for some months, his duties being performed by acting agent Frank Snow.

The railway's engineering department here was originally in charge of the late D. O. Lewis, district engineer, from 1911 to 1921. He was followed by the late H. L. Johnson. In 1929, St. J. Munro, now district engineer for the railway's B.C. District, became division engineer in Victoria and continued here until 1945 when he was succeeded by H. Ross Wilkinson, division engineer at present.

TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT

The history of the system's telegraph department in Victoria is a long story, commencing when the Great North Western Telegraph Company, a Western Union subsidiary, was registered with the Provincial Registrar in 1895. Actual operations, however, did not commence until 1897 when an office was opened at 1188 Government Street.

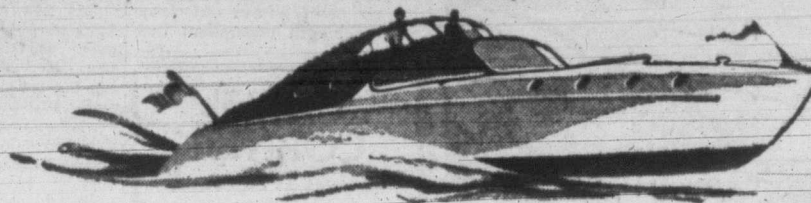
It was in 1924, while the telegraph office was at 614 View, that the Canadian National absorbed all Western Union interests in B.C.

A strange coincidence, perhaps, is that the move of C. N. Telegraphs, with other departments, to the new building, is the return "home," after 38 years, of the former Great North Western. For it will be remembered the former Five Sisters Block in which the Great North Western was a tenant, filled the precise spot now occupied by the new C.N.R. structure.

Those who have managed the telegraph company here over the years have been: William Dee, 1897-99; D. Arthur Upper, 1900-05; P. M. Fulton, 1906-10; Edward Adams, 1911; R. L. Jackson, 1912-13; Frank H. Blashfield, 1913-34; and B. A. Boate, who was appointed to the position he still holds in 1935.

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C.N.R. Moves Into Modern New Building

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Doors of the Canadian National Railway system's new building at the northeast corner of Government and Fort Streets were thrown open this morning.

Rebuilt on the historic site, for many years better known as the Halleybury Building, the National system's new premises will house the company's district passenger, freight, express, telegraph and engineering departments.

For the past 28 years the passenger, freight, express and engineering departments did business at 911 Government Street. The telegraphs department was located at 606 View Street for nearly 30 years until last fall when the staff moved over to 911 Government Street, pending completion of the new building.

Work on the remodelled building, which commenced last spring, cost upwards of \$75,000. George H. Wheaton, of Victoria, was general contractor. Sub-contractors were W. R. Menzies & Co., plumbing and heating; Hume and Rumble Ltd., electrical; Pacific Sheet Metal Works Ltd., roofing and sheet metal; S. J. Ross, plastering; Crowe, Gonnason Co. Ltd., millwork; Frank Clarkson, painting; Wm. O'Neill Co. (Victoria) Ltd., glass and tile.

HISTORICAL SITE
Location of the new Canadian National office building here is adjacent to the site of Fort Victoria. For many years, the Five Sisters Block, so named after the five daughters of Sir James Douglas, first governor of British Columbia, stood on the place now occupied by the new C.N.R. building.

Following destruction of the Five Sisters buildings by fire in 1910, the property was used, during the First World War, as a patriotic centre, built up from sandbags and other materials to give it the appearance of a dug-out in the war-battered France of that time. In later years the Halleybury building rose on the spot and stood until it was razed last year to make way for the present C.N.R. headquarters.

The new building has been completely renovated and modernized and, in addition to being attractive in exterior design, is planned to give the public efficient and satisfactory service, to combine and properly house the staffs of various departments and facilitate trans-shipment of business.

The two entrances, the main on Government Street and the other on Fort Street, lead directly into the spacious ticket, telegraph and express offices.

Also on the main floor is the private office of the passenger agent, in addition to which are quarters for telegraph messengers. At the rear of the ground floor is an express warehouse, washroom facilities and messengers' bicycle storage accommodation.

SECOND FLOOR
The second floor space comprises offices for the district freight, and division engineer's staffs, the telegraphs operating department, a waiting room, filing room, locker room and washroom facilities.

Interior of the ticket, telegraph and express offices on the ground floor has been given careful study both as to detail and color. The ticket and express counter is 50 feet long with semi-circular ends, which, together with an 18-foot counter for the telegraphs department, will give ample opportunity to render quick and efficient service. These counters have sloping birch fronts and tops are covered with black linoleum. A screen, glazed almost to the floor with Louvre glass, divides the public from the passenger agent's private office.



All services of the Canadian National Railways are now available in the system's new building, above, at the northeast corner of Fort and Government Streets. The brightly painted structure will have two neon signs outside and photo murals covering an entire wall inside.

A photo mural, composed of three large black and white photographs of Canadian scenes, each 12 by 7 feet, divided by blue and gold pilasters, will adorn the north wall of the general ticket office, immediately facing the counter, giving a definite one of interest and dignity.

Public floor space is covered with asphalt tile, pearl grey in color with an ebony black border. Floor of the service space, ticket and telegraphs, is covered with marbledum of brown tone.

Adequate directional signs will aid the public. Flowering plants add their grace to the scene and will be displayed at various points in suitably designed stands.

The color scheme has been carefully considered and subdued tones used, resulting in an atmosphere of quiet restraint, the dominating colors being silver grey and blue.

The ceiling of the telegraphs operating room on the second floor is covered with acoustical tile, providing efficiency and quietness for the staff.

The whole of the new building is lighted with fluorescent units and these have been specially designed and studied to suit their various locations.

All offices are heated with forced circulation concealed convectors.

Considerable thought has been given to the new exterior. The old building is well remembered and which for many years admirably fulfilled its purpose, but a new exterior, lighter in vain and modern in its line, has been conceived.

A modern aluminum cornice has been constructed at a level immediately over the display windows from the northwest corner of the building on Government Street and finishing on the east side of the entrance on Fort Street. From the sidewalk up to this cornice, both on Government and Fort Streets, the building is faced with Hadington stone.

Remainder of both facades up to the aluminum coping of the parapet has been faced with rough stucco. Both stone entrances enclose glazed oak

screens of modern simple sections with oak glazed doors.

The display windows, framed with aluminum window sections, have been installed and aluminum has been carried the whole length of the building, forming the second floor window sills.

WOODEN LETTERS
Immediately above the aluminum cornice, attached to and resting thereon, are 18-inch wooden letters "Canadian National Railways" both on Government and Fort Streets, with 10-inch wooden letters "Tickets, Telegrams, Express, Freight" in continuance to the end of the cornice on Fort Street. These letters are painted in red and grey.

Installed above the main entrance is a plaster cast in low relief of the Canadian National Railways' insignia—a maple leaf with lettering "C.N.R." superimposed. The leaf is painted a Chinese red with gold veins and

gold edge, the lettering in white. Stucco is painted a light green—window frames and sashes—mushroom white. Yellow and green striped awnings are installed over each display win-

dow, making an interesting contrast to the soft green stucco above.

Two neon signs, one vertical and one horizontal, are to be installed and will give the building adequate publicity of location. In addition, neon lettering "Tickets and Telegraphs" will appear over the anglewise entrance at the corner of Fort and Government Streets.

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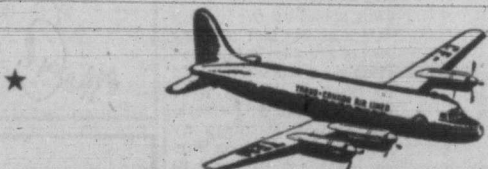


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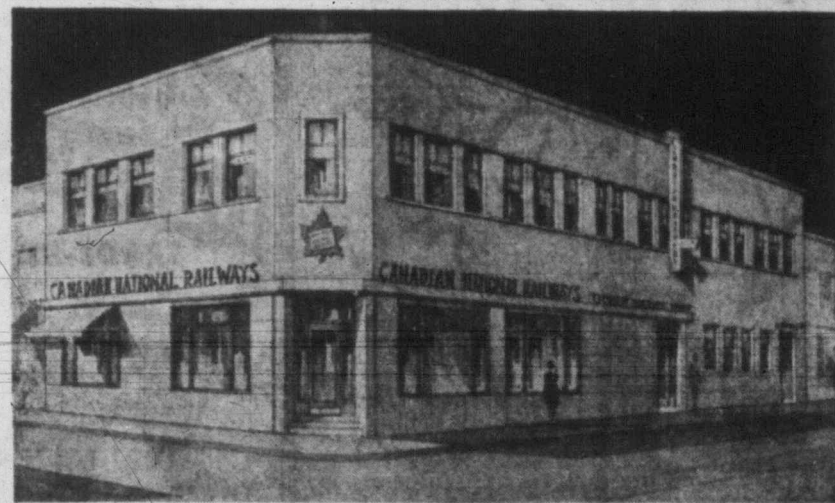
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Newlyweds En Route To California

Newlyweds Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brewis are motoring to California on their honeymoon.

The bride, the former Margaret Jean Armstrong, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Armstrong, 1068 Primrose Avenue, and groom, son of Mrs. Lillian Brewis, Judah Street, and the late Robert Brewis, exchanged vows Thursday at 8.30 before Rev. Emma Smiley at Victoria Truth Centre.

Spring flowers formed the setting for the bride, given in marriage by her father.

She wore an afternoon frock of azure blue, with contrasting accessories, and pink roses, carnations and freesias fashioned her bouquet.

Matron of honor, Mrs. Beatrice Chapman, sister of the bride, chose a pink frock. Her corsage bouquet was of matching pink carnations and roses.

William Coxford stood for the groom as best man and ushers were David Armstrong and Frank Oliver.

Terry's rose room was the scene of the reception where Frank Oliver proposed a toast to the bride's future happiness. Tables were decorated with tulips, daffodils and carnations.

For traveling, Mrs. Brewis chose a wine gabardine suit, with grey accessories, and gardenia en corsage.

The couple will return to the city to make their home.

Rummage Sale—Arrangements were begun for a rummage sale to be held April 2, when members of Servimus Group of Metropolitan United Church met at the home of Mrs. J. G. Jones, Dalhousie Street. Mrs. George Robinson and Mrs. Bacon assisted the hostess. Mrs. H. L. Smith spoke on "The Faith We Live By." March meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. H. Lovick, Cadboro Bay Road.



Weather Doesn't Worry New Victoria Residents

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fleming, formerly of Toronto and now living at 2649 Quadra Street, don't mind even the taste of winter the city is experiencing, and are out on the Dallas Road to enjoy the crisp sea air at the first hint of sunshine and blue skies. They are pictured above on one such occasion recently as they sat on a bench overlooking the Straits of Juan de Fuca, above Horseshoe Bay. Mr. and Mrs. Fleming are newcomers in Victoria, moving here several months ago when Mr. Fleming was transferred from Ontario.

Successful Tea—Women's Auxiliary of Belmont Avenue United Church held a successful Valentine tea in the Douglas Room, Hudson's Bay Co. Musical selections were given by Miss Eva Ranson. Miss Gypsy Mahaffy assisted Mrs. C. R. McGillivray in welcoming guests, and Mrs. C. W. Hodges was convener.

Blue-Toned Gowns Add Touch Of Spring To Nuptial Service

The delicate, fresh blues of an early Spring morn were caught in the satin and lace wedding gown worn by Miss Shirley Isabel Stevenson, and in the lovely formal taffeta gowns of her senior attendants, when she became the bride of Kenneth Foster Mawdsley, Saturday evening.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church was decorated with hosts of daffodils and chrysanthemums, for the double ring ceremony uniting in marriage the

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Stevenson, 3217 Quadra Street, and son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Mawdsley, 3697 Craigmillar Avenue.

Traditional orange blossoms formed a crown for the bride's veil of finely embroidered net, enhancing her ice blue gown, the slim sleeves pointed over the wrists, and yoke enriched with lace. She wore her groom's gift, a gold cross, and her bouquet of red roses and white chrysanthemums was tied with ribbons from her mother's wedding bouquet.

Matron of honor, Mrs. J. Corsbie and senior attendants, Miss Norma Dunn and Miss Donna Mawdsley, chose peach mitts and matching Shepherd hats to contrast with their gowns. Flower girl, little Valerie-Jean Brown was gown in peach. All carried pastel-toned bouquets.

Stan Mawdsley was best man for his brother, and ushers were Rickie Bridges and Peter Anderson. Mrs. Willmurst sang "Through The Years," while the register was signed.

Albert Hart gave the toast to the bride at a reception at Sons of Norway Hall.

A lace cloth, belonging to the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Stephen, covered the table, set with cut glass candelabra on either side of the three-tier wedding cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Mawdsley crossed to the mainland and will motor to California, returning to make their home at 3217 Quadra Street. The bride wore a green orchid corsage bouquet with her moss green suit, wine topcoat and grey accessories.

Linen Shower Planned For March

Mrs. J. A. Cooney, acting president, was in the chair at the monthly meeting of St. Joseph's Hospital Ladies Auxiliary when plans were made for the annual linen shower to be held on March 19. Treasurer's report and the amount of sewing announced by Mrs. Dickinson. Members stood in a moment of silence to the memory of Mrs. De Trafford. Following the business session, afternoon tea was served.

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Personal Notes

Miss Muriel Carson was a week-end visitor from Vancouver, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carson of Kamloops, who are staying at the Sussex Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cunningham, who are at present motoring to Victoria from their home in Nelson, are expected in the city the middle of the week and will be guests of Mrs. Cunningham's parents, Hon. L. H. Eyres and Mrs. Eyres, Tweedsmuir Apartments, Park Boulevard.

Lt.-Cmdr. and Mrs. J. D. Laurie, Linkleas Avenue, have as their guest the latter's cousin, Mrs. E. M. Bell of Vancouver. Before returning to the mainland, Mrs. Bell will visit with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Bell, Monteith Street.

Miss Jane Warter, a frequent visitor to Vancouver, has been the guest for the last few days of Mrs. A. E. Henderson, and is now visiting Mrs. R. J. Nightingale in the mainland city. Among the many affairs being held for Miss Warter, was the dinner given Friday evening by Mrs. L. Koyl.

A farewell party was held Thursday evening to honor Miss Jennie Preston, who will sail Wednesday aboard Empress of Canada for her home in England. Miss Preston has spent the past eight months with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Rigby, 3020 Balfour Avenue.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding of Miss Shirley Isabel Stevenson, and Mr. Kenneth Foster Mawdsley Saturday evening included Mr. and Mrs. J. Corsbie, Dawson Creek; Mrs. W. R. Burke and Mr. G. H. Burke, Mrs. T. Hannah, Miss Chrissie and Miss Edith Watt, all of Vancouver; Mrs. H. Sims and Mr. and Mrs. J. Scheitz of Portland.

Business-Professional Women International Night Banquet

During the month of February, business and professional women's clubs in more than 20 countries throughout the world, representing well over 300,000 women who earn their own living, celebrate International week.

This year, the Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club, with a membership of 100, has chosen next Saturday, Feb. 19, as International Night and will celebrate with a banquet in the Grill Room at the Empress Hotel, commencing at 7 p.m.

Miss Marjorie Press, club president, will welcome guests and preside at the head table. Miss Minnie Beveridge, immediate past president and president of the provincial group, will bring international, national and provincial greetings.

Guest speaker of the evening will be Herbert S. Little of Seattle, and subject, "Wake Up America! It's Morning!" devoted to the role which Canada and the United States must play in this particularly pivotal period in international relations. Mr. Little was born in England, came to Canada with his family as a small boy and later made his home in the United States.

He is a graduate of the University of Washington; lectured in diplomacy and international relations, in the Orient before the war and later in California universities. He served in the Office of Strategic Services during the war and is at present

Y.P. Societies

St. Mary's—Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunn spoke on the history of St. Mary's at the last meeting of members of St. Mary's Anglican Young People's Association, held in the parish hall. Plans were made for a card party. Refreshment were served. Members attended corporate communion Sunday, with breakfast in the hall afterwards.

Patrician Junior Women's Auxiliary, Centennial United Church, Wednesday at home of Mrs. P. Kidson. Navy League Chapter, I.O.D.E., regular meeting, Wednesday at 2 p.m. at headquarters. St. Saviour's Afternoon Branch of the Women's Auxiliary, Valentine Tea, parish hall, Wednesday at 2.30. Stalls of home cooking, and needlework. Afternoon tea will be served. Degree Team of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Fraternal Order of Eagles, No. 12, Valentine tea, Eagles Hall, View Street. Musical entertainment, Mrs. E. Rose, president, to open the affair at 2.30.

Miss Ann Wurtele of Goderich, Ont., is visiting her father, Mr. Charles Wurtele, 3150 Tarn Place.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Brown, Weald Road, and Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Brown, Victoria Avenue, returned to the city Sunday following a month's holiday in Honolulu, with a short stay en route at San Francisco.

Dr. and Mrs. R. B. Jenkins, William Head, and Misses R. and M. Anderson, Deep Cove, leave this week by motor for New Orleans. They will travel down the Pacific Coast, stopping briefly at San Francisco and Los Angeles before proceeding east. They expect to return at the end of March.

Many Guests Attend Church Welfare Tea

Mrs. J. L. W. McLean and Mrs. C. C. Warren, president, welcomed approximately 100 guests to the Valentine tea held by members of the Welfare Association of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Saturday afternoon.

Valentine motifs transformed the lecture room into a gay setting for the affair which realized \$75. Proceeds will be used to purchase wool and flannel to assist with the important overseas parcels and with the valuable welfare work in the city.

Guests were entertained with solos by Mrs. C. A. Goodwin and Mrs. W. H. Wilson, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. J. Gough and Miss Marnie Wilson.

Valentine red and white tulips formed the attractive centre-piece for the table where Mrs. J. G. Robison, Mrs. R. L. Cox, Mrs. C. W. Paulin and Miss C. Diffin presided.

Serviteurs wearing dainty red and white aprons with matching caps were Mrs. Irving Strickland, Mrs. G. Horwood and Misses Fay Robison, Betty Ferrie, Joan Lawrence, M. Horwood and M. Gilroy.



Golden Wedding Just Week Away

Maj. E. B. Underwood, M.C., D.C.M., and Mrs. Underwood, above, will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday, Feb. 20, at their new home at Cultus Lake. Maj. and Mrs. Underwood formerly lived in Esquimalt and latterly in Oak Bay, before moving to the British Columbia mainland when Maj. Underwood retired from a staff position at Work Point Barracks. The anniversary will be celebrated with a family gathering. Traveling from Victoria for the occasion will be Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Songhurst (Lillian Underwood), Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Underwood, Mrs. Fred Burch (Mildred Underwood), and Mr. Ghazi Underwood. Maj. and Mrs. R. Miller (Mena Underwood) of Cultus Lake will also be present. Two other sons, Mr. Leslie Underwood and Mr. Ernest Underwood, both live in Victoria, and there are seven grandchildren.

Y.W.C.A. Notes

The newest addition to the Y.W.C.A. list of interests is the Glee Club. This has been initiated by residence girls under direction of Mrs. Roberto Wood. Any young woman interested may join.

Tuesday, the annual meeting will take place when reports for the year 1948 will be given from all departments. Dinner will be

served in the dining-room at 6.30.

Tonight members of the Senior Business Girls will meet in the small club room at 6.15 to assemble the annual report books.

Monthly meeting, Ladies Auxiliary St. Joseph's Villa, at hospital, Tuesday at 3 p.m. . . . St. George's Church Ladies' Guild, Cadboro Bay, rummage sale, Wednesday, in Hard of Hearing Hall, commencing at 9 a.m.

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New Members—Five new members, Mesdames M. E. Williams, M. K. Clarke, J. A. Farmer, I. F. Law and Miss J. Clark were initiated at a meeting of Women's Auxiliary to Britannia Branch No. 7, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L. Mrs. D. McCulloch presided. Mrs. D. Rees and Mrs. R. Evans reported 310 hospital visits and nine shut-in patients. Plans were made for the Valentine Tea to be held in clubrooms Wednesday at 2.30, and members will attend a dance and social Feb. 26. Sewing and bandage rolling at D.V.A. Hospital will resume second and fourth Wednesdays, and knitting

141 Delegates Register At C.G.I.T. Conference Here

A penny hike, followed by a box supper served by Centennial C.G.I.T. group, a sing-song at First Baptist Church on Saturday evening and church parade of girls and leaders, Sunday morning to First United Church, climaxed the three-day C.G.I.T.

of afghans will be resumed Tuesday at home of Mrs. D. McCulloch, 1554 Pembroke Street. Face cloth shower realized 60 face cloths and cash donations.

conference held in Victoria, last week-end.

One hundred and forty-one girls and 29 leaders, representing 19 churches on Vancouver Island, registered for the conference with 30 of the delegates coming from Nanaimo, Duncan and Lake Cowichan.

Saturday evening, greetings were extended delegates by Rev. G. R. Easter, Mrs. C. A. Goodwin, president, Girls' Work Board, and Mrs. R. J. Garner, president, Leaders' Council.

Mrs. J. C. A. Barton gave an address on "Service With a Smile."

A film was shown and the evening closed with worship service, conducted by Pat Edmonds, Anne Mawhinney, Louise Smalle, Shirley Jackson, Dorothy Sullivan and Ruth Trosell of Erskine Presbyterian Church, the theme, "The Three Torchbearers."

BUSINESS MEETING

The afternoon session on Saturday, opened with worship taken by Emmanuel Baptist C.G.I.T. led by Valerie Mockford, Donna Williams and Mary June McKay.

A business meeting followed at which Joyce Main was elected secretary and Lorraine Brown, C.G.I.T. president, addressed the gathering on more effective service of C.G.I.T. groups to their church and community.

Discussion groups were formed, with the following leaders: Mrs. W. W. McGill, Mrs. R. Fields, Mrs. F. E. Worthy, Misses Peggy MacPherson, L. Macintosh, C. Diffen, P. Dykes, M. Walker and Rev. G. G. Smith. Miss Gladys Beall, leader of the first C.G.I.T. group in Victoria told a story of the growth of the movement.

Arrangements for the conference were in charge of the executive of the Leaders' Council, Mrs. Garner, Misses Walker, C. D. Hardt Dykes and Hunt.

A sing-song was led on Friday evening by Miss Peggy Dykes; folk dancing by Mrs. E. Manley and games in charge of Miss Lois Macintosh, Mary Stevenson, Irene Smith and June Kelly of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church conducted the closing worship period. Members of First United C.G.I.T. served cocoa.

The tongue of the giraffe is about 18 inches long.



Junior Choir To Sing In Vancouver At Conference

Members of the Salvation Army Citadel Victoria Girls' Chorus, pictured above with their songster leader, W. Hastings: Left to right, Misses Emileen Higgins, Dorothy Stokes, Margaret Lloyd, Daisy Higgins, Joy Milley, Lorna Craddock, Maryanne Bishop and Joanne Milley, will leave this week-end for Vancouver, where they will sing at the Salvation Army Youth Conference Saturday and Sunday. The chorus, organized 16 months ago by Mr. Hastings, now has a large repertoire of sacred numbers, and has been heard at many functions in Victoria.

Miniature Room Collection Perfect In Every Detail

TORONTO (CP)—A treasure hunt through Europe's most fabulous antique shops for rare art objects has produced a collection of miniature rooms which would make Tom Thumb feel like an overgrown Gollath.

Thirty period rooms furnished in exquisite detail are on public display here at the Toronto Art Gallery in the only Canadian showing of the collection of Mrs. James Ward Thorne of Chicago.

The rooms, scaled one inch to the foot, have been estimated at \$5,000 each, many times more than the cost of building and furnishing for the normal-size room.

An authentic reproduction of German, English and French styles, the collections date back to 1505 and illustrates much of the modes and life of the time.

Architectural design, carved ceilings and stained-glass win-

dows are exact duplications of either specific rooms or are composite types. There are more than 150 pieces in each room, including crystal chandeliers, oriental rugs, hammered silver perfume bottles, and hand-carved jade boxes no bigger than a pea.

Mrs. Thorne is a perfectionist who insists that even door knobs should be cared in the period style represented by the room. Even the curve of spoon handles has studied perfection.

Although all rooms are given a "lived-in" look by books on tables, open violin cases and animals stretched before the fire, the elaborate furniture of most periods would make a contemporary uneasy.

An English firm made a special tea service in Wedgewood china which sits on a tray the size of a 50-cent piece. Another time she required special craftsmanship and a retired English policeman carved a complete chess set in ivory.

Mrs. Thorne has been interested in collecting tiny art pieces since her girlhood, but about 15 years ago she thought of creating miniature rooms. Three years of work in her Chicago studio completed the collection gathered from all parts of the globe.

Designer Stresses Something Becoming

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. (AP)—Adrian recently stressed "the American look" in a showing of his spring and summer fashion collection.

The noted designer said the "American woman is the strongest factor in the fashion world today." He contended it is more important to wear something becoming and suitable than to wear something new.

Matching three-quarter-length coats were shown with many of the suits and dresses.

Rather than the undressed look that other collections have shown, Adrian's necklines were demure with draped bodices.

Bolero and short-cape effects were used in many ways. A bolero style with two long front panels that could be tied was used in a number of costumes. The bolero was suggested in other dresses by draping.

Capes and cape coats from three-quarter to floor-length were used. Draping achieved a caped illusion when a cape was not actually used. In one number sleeves were cut to give the cape look to a costume dress.

Stoles became headgear when draped harem fashion over the head. The pencil-slim silhouette was relieved by tunics in some of the dresses shown. Other dresses showed the effect of the short jackets seen in Adrian's new suits.

White touches on blue or black and varying shades of gray dominated the color picture. A Kelly-green coat combined with a flame taffeta dinner dress made a startling color combination.

Paper Published For War Brides

CLEVELAND (AP)—A British widow here, who publishes a paper to help war brides, says three-fourths of them are having difficulty in becoming adjusted in the United States.

"In-law" and language problems are by far the most numerous, Mrs. Constance E. Stalling, 38, finds.

"Often you discover an undercurrent of resentment, mostly among sisters and mothers, against the war brides," she says. "The feeling is that the boys should have married girls from this country."

Other difficulties are those resulting from the housing shortage and differences in backgrounds.

Mrs. Stalling began her paper, the Pillar Box, slightly over a year ago and already has used \$1,000 of her savings in keeping it going. Fourteen other war brides donate their time in serving as associate editors.

The paper now has only about 250 subscribers throughout the country. Mrs. Stalling hopes it eventually will have enough to finance itself.

Three editions have come out so far and a fourth is being prepared. Copies of the three, which deal with educational, social and informative matter, were sent free to thousands of brides.

Mrs. Stalling came to the United States from London 22 years ago. She has corresponded with hundreds of war brides.

Club Calendar

Britannia Lodge No. 216, L.O. B.A., Orange Hall, 725 Courtney Street, Tuesday. All officers at 7.30 for drill practice before meeting.

Neighborhood Club, especially for people living alone, Wednesday, 7.30, Friends' Meeting House, 1831 Fern Street, off Fort Street.

Clubwomen's News

Birthday Banquet—Luxton and Happy Valley Women's Institute will hold a birthday banquet and entertainment in Luxton Hall on March 8. Members met at the home of Mrs. A. Hankin, Happy Valley Road, on Tuesday evening. A letter was read from an institute in Herefordshire, England, thanking the W.I. for Christmas food parcel and cards. Members decided that in future parcels would be sent through CARE. A questionnaire was put before members by South Vancouver Island Conference Committee, asking opinion on a handicraft shop for the area. Contributions were received to be forwarded to the Shower of Dimes. A bingo game will be held Feb. 22 at Luxton Hall, proceeds to aid the hall fund. Tea was served by the hostesses and prize won by Mrs. R. Higgins.

Birthday Tea—Following the meeting of Christ Church Cath-

edral Women's Parish Guild, members entertained at a birthday tea for Mrs. J. W. Robinson. Mrs. C. Gibson and Mrs. Mayfield were in charge. Dean R. G. Calvert and Mrs. Calvert were welcomed and Rev. S. J. Wickens and Mrs. Wickens were also among special guests. Lace-covered tables were decorated in Valentine motif by Miss M. Lettice. Mrs. G. Miles and Mrs. F. T. Fairley poured tea. During business session it was announced that a lecture "The Pageant of Fashion," to be illustrated with miniature mannequins, would follow the March 11 meeting. Miss K. Jaffray was in the chair, and two new members were welcomed. Mrs. E. Rogers, on behalf of the guild, presented Mrs. Miles with a gift in appreciation of her many years of work. Mrs. G. Bissell received a gift of flowers.

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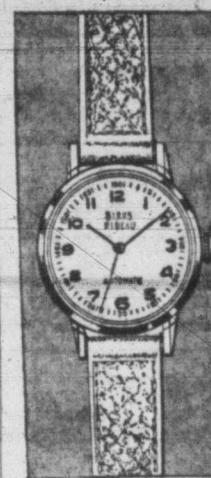
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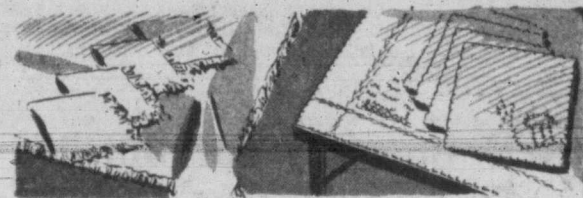
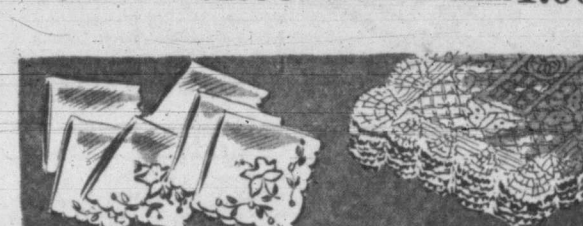
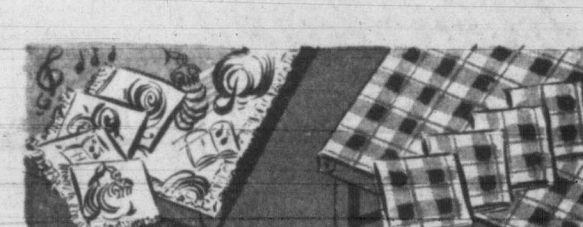
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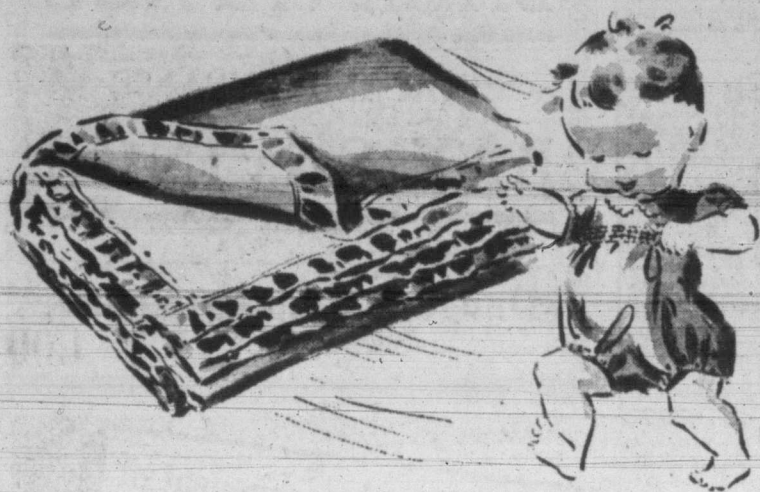
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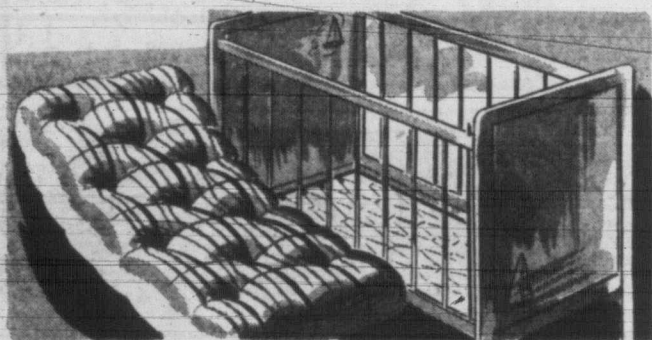
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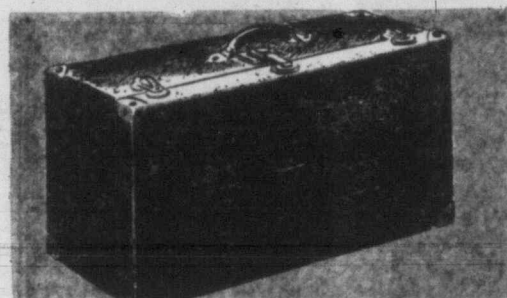
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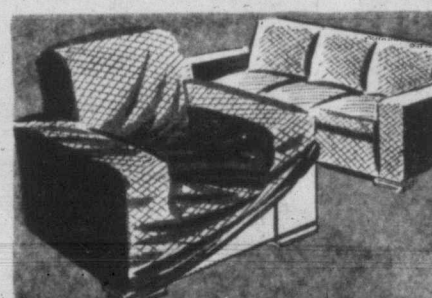
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Canada's Debt Retirement In 1948 Totaled \$205,000,000

By FORBES RHUDE

OTTAWA (CP)—Canada had much less money for debt retirement in 1948 than in 1947, it is stated in the annual report of the Bank of Canada.

This was mostly because her trade and foreign exchange situation was in better shape and she had to tie up more money in these.

Budgetary surpluses were big in both calendar years, \$751,000,000 in 1947 and \$640,000,000 in 1948.

In 1947, however, what are

called non-budgetary items increased the over-all surplus available for domestic debt retirement to \$963,000,000, while in 1948 it decreased to \$205,000,000.

Non-budgetary items consist of postwar loans to foreign governments, loans to the Foreign Exchange Control Board, and some other items.

In 1947, for instance, the Exchange Board was running out of foreign exchange money so fast that it didn't need so many Canadian dollars to cover its holdings, and so was able to

pay the government back on its loans. In 1948 its foreign exchange money built up and so it had to borrow more from the government.

When Finance Minister Abbott brings down his budget he will report on the surplus for the fiscal year ending March 31. His last fiscal year surplus was \$673,000,000, but government circles doubt that the next one will be above \$500,000,000.

The bank's report for 1948 does not predict what effect the Foreign Exchange Control Board's improved position in foreign exchange will have on the present year's needs. It certainly does not comment on what effect these fairly involved financial dealings will have on the possibility or extent of tax cuts.

SCOUT NEWS

North Quadra Boy Scouts were joined by the Parent Group for a farewell party for Scoutmaster George Sherman, who has left to accept a position at Uchelet. A leather brief case was presented to Mr. Sherman as a token of appreciation. During the evening Mr. Sherman, on behalf of the group, presented a silver thanks badge to Jack Graham, who was for many years chairman of the group committee.

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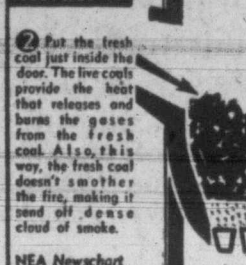
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Canada's Total Trade In 1948 Rose To Record \$5,747,000,000

OTTAWA (CP)—Canada's trade position with the United States continued to improve during 1948.

The Bureau of Statistics reported at the week-end that Canada's dollar-saving program reduced the Dominion's unfavorable trade balance with the U.S. to one-third of what it was in 1947.

The balance was a debit of \$283,600,000 compared with \$918,100,000 a year before.

This resulted from imports, which were decreased to \$1,805,800,000 during 1948 from \$1,975,700,000 the previous year while exports to the U.S. were boosted

to \$1,501,000,000 from \$1,304,200,000 in 1947.

In all, Canadian trade hit an over-all favorable balance with all countries of \$473,100,000—double the 1947 figure of \$237,800,000 and \$61,200,000 more than the 1946 total.

It was the best year in history for Canadian trade, the report said, with total trade aggregating \$5,747,000,000 compared with \$5,385,700,000 in 1947. Imports were highest in history at \$2,636,900,000 against \$2,573,900,000 in 1947, while exports reached \$3,075,400,000 against \$2,774,900,000 the previous year.

These exports were exceeded only in wartime 1944 and 1945, when they reached \$3,440,000,000 and \$3,218,300,000, respectively.

Merchandise imports in 1948 were valued at \$2,636,900,000, showing a comparatively small gain of \$63,000,000 over the previous record aggregate of \$2,573,900,000 in 1947, but a rise of almost 37 per cent over 1946.

Domestic exports in 1948 were valued at \$3,075,400,000, an increase of 10.8 per cent over the 1947 figure of \$2,774,900,000, and a rise of 33 per cent over 1946.

Foreign merchandise was exported in 1948 to the value of \$34,591,000 compared with \$36,888,000 in 1947. In December the value was \$2,902,000 compared with \$4,713,000.

Merchandise purchases from the United Kingdom rose to \$299,500,000 in 1948, showing a gain of \$110,000,000 over the 1947 total of \$189,500,000. Imports advanced in December to \$24,633,000 from \$20,254,000 in December, 1947.

Biogeochemical Tests Planned For B.C. In Summer

VANCOUVER (CP)—The prospector of tomorrow will be a scholarly gentleman with a bun-sen burner and a few test tubes if Dr. Harry Warren of the University of British Columbia has his way.

The biochemist has an ore-finding technique which he feels will put the pick and shovel on the museum shelf. He calls it plant prospecting and is laying plans to have it tested next summer in B.C. mineral fields.

Technically known as biogeochemistry, the technique works on the principle that surface growth contains chemical evidence of the mineral contents underneath the soil.

"Instead of digging several hundred yards of dirt and rock," Dr. Warren says, "the prospector will merely snap off a few fresh twigs."

"After he has burned his twigs he can, by analyzing the ash, get a reliable idea of what sort of ore lies beneath the soil."

Dr. Warren has pioneered the research necessary to establish standards which relate certain chemical reactions to types of ore.

With his research associate Dr. R. E. Delavault he has spent three years and \$10,000 to arrive at standards for copper and zinc. The Geological Society of America granted him \$6,000 for research, but he needs more money to arrive at standards for gold, silver and lead.

"We know these standards are reliable technically," he said, "but field work is necessary to get at the practical cost of using biogeochemical methods." Seven United States scientists are working on the same project, and Russian and Scandinavian countries are pursuing the method with striking results, he said.

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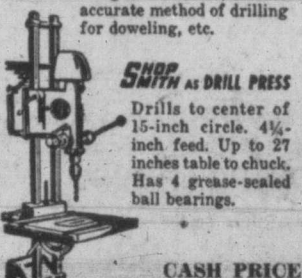
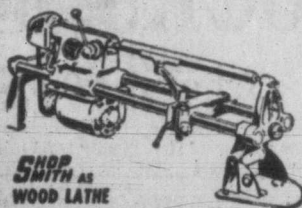
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St. Martin Breaks Record In Victory

Al St. Martin, who before he bowled, said he wasn't feeling well and should have stayed home in bed, won the city tenpin singles championship at Gibson's Bowladrome over the week-end with a three-game total of 699.

In capturing the championship left vacant by Clyde Savage, St. Martin also broke the alley record for the season with a three-game total of 639 from scratch with games of 189, 187 and a final title-winning effort of 263, high single of the tourney.

Ken Munn had previously cracked Dick Bowles' record of 634 by one pin and was feeling quite proud of himself until St. Martin established the new standard.

Wilt Johnston took runner-up honors for the singles championship with games of 209, 238 and 181 plus 42 handicap for a score of 670.

The all-events title went to Bill Sturken with a total of 1,826 pins, 25 better than Bill Coates, who grabbed the runner-up position.

Sturken paired up with Sid Jenkins, a Colonist-Times combination, and the duo won the doubles championship with a score of 1,217. Munn and Howard finished second with 1,202.

Other leading scores follow:

SINGLES
Ferguson 668, Stewart 655, Wirthner 637, Sparks 627, Pearce 620, Bacon 609.

DOUBLES

Stokes-Wright 1,192, Cambrey-Moulton 1,189, Webb-Mowat 1,181, Welsh-Turner 1,178, Elford-Caley 1,178, B. Coates-B. Holness 1,172, Grimshaw-Beane 1,150, Brown-Brown 1,148, Sparks-Woodhouse 1,140, Spouse-Begg 1,136.

Vic High Girls Retain Trophy In Basketball Tourney

With an undefeated record in the round-robin tournament, Victoria High School girls' basketball team Saturday retained possession of the Hocking Cup. The series played at the Vic High gym attracted nine teams, largest entry since the competition was introduced nine years ago.

Oak Bay High finished in the runner-up position with one defeat and one tie, for 15 points, followed by Normal School with 12, and a second Victoria High aggregation with 10. Other clubs finished in the following order: Mount Douglas, Strathcona, Lodge, Esquimalt High, Mount View and St. Margaret's.

Winner was decided until the final game which saw Vic High defeat Oak Bay, 14 to 4. The teams played each other once in eight-minute games with no overtime.

At the conclusion of the series, Ross Hocking, donor of the trophy, presented the cup to Cash Kennedy, captain of the Victoria High aggregation.

Dutch Girl Breaks Own World Record

SYDNEY, Australia (AP)—Mrs. Fanny Blankers-Koen, the Netherlands star of the 1948

Betty Mitchell Fails To Place But Pleases

OSLO (CP)—Oslo newspapers today commented favorably on the week-end performance of Betty Mitchell of Winnipeg, who finished 12th yesterday in a field of competitors from five countries in the world women's speed-skating championships.

The title was retained by Maria Isakova, a diminutive Russian with colossal stamina, who finished first in three events. Miss Mitchell, lone Canadian entry and North American and Canadian senior

'Y' Swimming Team For W.A.C. Meet

Archie McKinnon, Flying "Y" swim coach, today named the team which will compete against the Washington Athletic Club team in Seattle Saturday.

The men's team includes Harold Harris, Eric Jubb, Bill Doddridge, Jack Wellburn, Doug Stewart and Ron Nelson. Joan Morgan, Ina Salmon, Jean Mills, Aileen Smyth, Norma Stewart and Nita Anderson will compete in the women's events.

Vancouver Beats Portland To Gain In Coast Ice Loop

The San Francisco Shamrocks wallowed San Diego 10 to 6 Sunday night to climb out of the cellar position in the southern division of the Pacific Coast Hockey League. And into the cellar went San Diego.

The first period ended in a 2 to 2 tie. But both teams went goal-crazy in the second frame, scoring 10 tallies—with the visiting Shamrocks accounting for seven.

In the northern division play, fourth-place Vancouver edged to within one point of third-place Tacoma on an assist by Seattle. Vancouver invaded—Portland to knock off the Eagles, 5 to 3, while Seattle, sitting in last place in league standings, staged an uprising to beat Tacoma 5 to 1.

The Vancouver win was sparked by Bill Shill, who made two third-period goals and assisted in another to bring the Canucks from behind.

For Seattle, playing on its home ice, the victory over Tacoma was the first in eight starts.

McGill Swimmers Set Canadian Mark

MONTREAL (CP)—McGill University swimmers established a new Dominion 300-yard medley relay record here Saturday when they downed Amherst College of Massachusetts 43 to 32.

The relay team of Adin Merrow, Erwin Kopin and Elliott Young, bettered the old mark established by a Quebec province all-star team in 1937 by 3.6 seconds for a new record of 3:07.7.

Olympic Games, ran the 100-yard dash here Saturday in 1:0.6 seconds—one-fifth of a second better than her world record.

The feat will not be counted as an official mark, however, since track conditions did not conform to standards.

Mrs. Blankers-Koen, who won three Olympic championships at London, competed in the Orange Town championships.

Sets Boxing History



DON CODVILLE... double champion.

'Y' Cagers Deadlock Final; Lose Clarkson

It took the Y.M.C.A. cagers a quarter and a half to get rolling Saturday night in the second game of the city senior A semifinals, but when the club finally did get organized, it never looked back and wound up with a 43 to 26 decision over the Pro Pats to square the best-of-three series at a game apiece. Deciding clash is scheduled Saturday.

Things were not all rosy in the "Y" camp Saturday however, and popular Reg Clarkson, sparkplug of the team, handed in his uniform due to a stiff with coach Doug Peden. Just how far the club will go without the speedy scoring star remains to be seen, as he was one of the main reasons for the club's top-place status throughout the regular league schedule.

Both squads were unimpressive in the low-scoring first quarter which saw losers grab a 5 to 3 edge. Shooting was poor on both sides and the ability to sink free throws was particularly weak throughout the entire game.

Midway through the second session, Pro Pats were leading 10 to 7 when finally the association crew found the right combination and big Johnny Clark sliced the lead to a single point. Vince Clarkson potted a field basket and a gift toss, Rookie Wright duplicated and Busher Jackson shot a two-pointer while Vets only managed a bucket shot by Ernie Fox to give "Y" a 16 to 12 edge at the intermission.

Losers, only able to strip six men, were further weakened when Gordie Ellis suffered a badly cut eye just before the half, but he returned to the game in the last quarter.

HOLD LEAD
Vets opened the third quarter with three free shots, to cut the margin 16 to 15, but winners were not long in pulling away again and wound up the canto with a comfortable 32 to 22 lead.

Ralph Baxter, "Y," and Gordie Creed, Pro Pats, exchanged two baskets each to open the finale, leaving the margin unchanged, 36 to 26, but from then on, losers were held off the score sheet.

Jackson scored a two-pointer and a gift shot, Clark added a basket, and Wright wound out the scoring with another basket.

Clark and Jackson, with 14 and 10 points, respectively, paced winners, while Fox was high for Vets with 10.

In the opening game of the card, Arrows, formerly the Bomberettes, crushed Dunca, Zeniths, 29 to 16, in the first game of the lower island junior girls' total-point series.

Another lower island playoff game saw Comets come through with a 30 to 18 win over Kyle's Tads. Duncan, in the opening game of a total-point series.

Teams and scores follow:
Y.M.C.A.—Clark, 10; N. Clarkson, V. Clarkson, 5; Jackson, 10; Dale, 2; Wright, 4; Goldsmith, Chungness, Lee, Baxter, 6.

Pro Patria—Fox, 10; Ellis, 2; Hall, 3; Ireland, 4; Green, 8; McKinnon, 1; Dunca, Zeniths—Chow, McLean, 11; Evans, Galt, 2; McKinley, 1; Smith, 2; Arrows—Rogers, 8; Bamford, Sinclair, Hudson, 2; Best, McKee, Gladson, 3; Purich, 11; Blair.

43-26 DOUBLE
DURBAN: South Africa (Reuters)—The daily double here Saturday paid \$8,420 for a \$2 bet when Arundel II and Evershaw, two longshots, came home winners.

Some 1,400 fans were on hand at Bellevue to witness the Lions make their last home appearance of the season and how out ignominiously. Victory for the Buffs gave them 50 points, two more than the Moose Jaw squad.

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Codville Double Golden Boy

Burgess Most Sportsmanlike Boxer; Alsworthy Honored

By BILL WALKER

VANCOUVER — Hard-hitting Don Codville, Victoria Times Golden Boy of a week ago, Saturday night added further fame to his list of successes by winning the British Columbia lightweight boxing championship and the Vancouver Sun Golden Boy award.

Codville's road to the highest amateur award in provincial boxing was a rough one, especially in the final two bouts of the tournament, but the island 147-pound king came through like a champion.

Up against Esquimalt's Art Burgess in the semifinals, Codville had trouble finding the target through the first half of the fight, but late in the second round he caught Burgess with a solid right hand and from there on carried the fight to the much-improved Burgess and copped a unanimous decision.

In the finals, Codville, who did not appear quite as sharp as in the Vancouver Island tournament, went up against experienced Ken McPhee of the Burrard Lions. The fight was easily one of the best of the night, with the 21-year-old U.B.C. student winning a unanimous but extremely close call from the rangy mainland boy.

Conacher Gains Tie For Scoring Lead

Roy Conacher caught up with Chicago linemate Doug Bentley in the national Hockey League scoring race last night, collecting two goals and an assist while Bentley was held to a pair of assists.

Each now has 55 points, 13 better than Detroit's Sid Abel, who added an assist to his total. Montreal's Bill Reay fired a marker to move into a fourth-place tie with Jim Conacher of Chicago.

Leaders follow:
G. A. Pts.
Conacher, Chicago 55 24 36
Bentley, Chicago 55 20 35
Abel, Detroit 42 22 42
Reay, Montreal 42 19 38
Hodge, Detroit 38 19 38
Bodnar, Chicago 37 17 26 37

Hockey Summaries

SATURDAY
TORONTO-DETROIT
First Period—Scoring, none. Penalties: Stewart, Lynn, Lindsay, Barlow, Kennedy (Smith), 1:17; 2, Detroit, Howe (Abel), 1:26; 3, Toronto, Bentley (Timony), 1:30. Penalties: Benoit, Enio, Lynn, Howe.
Third Period—4, Toronto, Bentley (Timony, Kennedy), 4:32. Penalties: Thomson, Lindsay.

NEW YORK-BOSTON
First Period—1, New York, Laprade (Pettit), 4:02; 2, Boston, Crawford (Fleming), 10:01. Penalties: Stanley (G. Egan), 1:17; 2, Boston, Ronny (Smith), 1:58; 4, Boston, Toppanzini (Crawford), 1:57; 5, New York, Laprade (Leavick, Stanowski), 1:48. Penalties: Ronny, 1:05; 6, Boston, Peirson (Ronny, Henderson), 1:40. Penalties: Pavlich, Krysanowski.
Third Period—4, Detroit, Howe (Stewart), 2:14; 7, Detroit, Poile (Lundy), 6:48; 8, Detroit, Lindsay, 1:13. Penalties: Peirson.

DETROIT-BOSTON
First Period—1, Detroit, Horeck (Pavlich), 2:02; 2, Boston, Crawford (Fleming), 10:01. Penalties: Stanley (G. Egan), 1:17; 2, Boston, Ronny (Smith), 1:58; 4, Boston, Toppanzini (Crawford), 1:57; 5, New York, Laprade (Leavick, Stanowski), 1:48. Penalties: Ronny, 1:05; 6, Boston, Peirson (Ronny, Henderson), 1:40. Penalties: Pavlich, Krysanowski.
Third Period—4, Detroit, Howe (Stewart), 2:14; 7, Detroit, Poile (Lundy), 6:48; 8, Detroit, Lindsay, 1:13. Penalties: Peirson.

MONTREAL-CHICAGO
First Period—1, Chicago, Hamill (Brown, Reay), 1:17; 2, Montreal, Reay (Harmann, Plamondon), 1:18. Penalties: Natras, 2, 1 misconduct; Chamberlain (2, major and misconduct), Goldham, McCaig, Harvey.
Second Period—3, Montreal, Pilon, 3:1; 4, Chicago, R. Conacher (Bentley, McPherson), 10:30; 5, Montreal, Pilon (Hill), 12:28. Penalties: Guidolin, Richardson, Gadsby, Modell, Carver, Hamill, Howe.
Third Period—8, Chicago, R. Conacher (Bentley, McPherson), 11:30; 7, Chicago, Hamill (Guidolin, Prystay), 13:32. Penalties: Gadsby.

WOODCOCK FIGHTS RALPH NEXT MONTH

LONDON (AP)—Bruce Woodcock, British heavyweight boxing champion, is scheduled to fly to Johannesburg March 9 for his fight with the South African champion, Johnny Ruff, March 26.

Freddie Mills of England, world light-heavyweight champion, plans to see the bout. He and his wife are going to South Africa Feb. 23 for a month's holiday.

Mills, who knocked out Ralph last November, fights Woodcock for the British heavyweight title in London June 2.

PEDLAR PALMER DIES

BRIGHTON, Eng. (AP)—Thomas (Pedlar) Palmer, 72, one-time claimant of the world bantamweight boxing title, died Sunday.

Terry McGovern, joint claimant to the title, knocked out Palmer in New York in one round Sept. 12, 1929. Both had claimed the title vacated by Jimmy Barry, who retired undefeated that year.

CLOSE DECISION

Two judges gave the decision to Codville by the margin of one point, with the third judge voting points even and Codville the winner on his aggressiveness and harder punching ability.

Bill Misslebrook, island 175-pound champion, found little trouble with the mainland light-heavyweights and, showing to much better advantage than in the Times tournament, was an easy winner in the final over Ken Hoffman of Chilliwack. In Saturday's semis, Misslebrook took the measure of navy's Norm Nelson, who gave him such a close battle here last week.

TWO K.O.'S

Red-headed Eddie Robertson of Esquimalt was the third Vancouver Island boxer to gain the final round and on the strength of two knock-out triumphs in preliminary rounds was favored to win the 112-pound championship, but over-eagerness on Robertson's part led to his downfall at the hands of Len Kupchak.

Kupchak, much the shorter of the two boys, repeatedly made Robertson miss with a powerful right as the Tommy Rur-

gess' protege went all out for a third K.O. victory. The decision though close was unanimous.

In the semifinals against Lloyd Broadbent, Robertson would have won the fight in the first round but the bell saved Broadbent. A wicked right hand ended the bout at 1:39 of the second heat with the referee stopping the fight.

KEYES DEFEATED

Tom Keyes, former island battler, went to the finals of the 160-pound division but dropped a decision to Leo Logan when he weakened badly in the final round.

Keyes scored what was probably the hardest punch of the tourney in the middleweight semifinal when he knocked Bud Black halfway across the ring and out under the lower strands of the rope. Catching Black off balance, Keyes landed a terrific left hook and Black literally bounced as he hit the canvas and skidded to the ring apron.

VICTORIANS HONORED

Art Burgess on his splendid showing against Codville was duly honored by being awarded the most-sportsmanlike trophy. Last year Burgess was judged the best out-of-town prospect.

Another honor came Victoria's way when Al Alsworthy, R.C.N. coach, was the recipient of the trophy, awarded to the best out-of-town coach in the Vancouver Sun tournament.

TOURNAMENT HIGHLIGHTS

One of the better fights of the tourney came during the heavy-weight final when two spectators put on a rousing brawl in the balcony before a blue-clad referee took both battlers for a ride. . . . Even the heavyweights in the ring stopped to have a look at the impromptu affair. . . . Don Stewart of Esquimalt, hard-luck loser in the 90-pound class of the Times tourney was Tommy Burgess' guest for the tourney.

Pat Slattery of the Sun went out of his way to lend this reporter every assistance. . . . The Exhibition Garden was jammed for the show, being oversold by 400. . . . Two little negro boys put on a good show during the intermission and the fans littered the ring with plenty of silver following the bout. . . . Codville went hungry from Wednesday to Friday morning in order to make the 135-pound limit. . . . His father, a fighter too, in his day, was over for the show as was George Wilkinson, former North Ward mentor.

Toronto Leafs Get Hot For Twin Victory; Chicago Sinks Canucks

It could be that Happy Day and his Toronto Maple Leafs have hit their stride at the right time and appear to mean business in defending the Stanley Cup they captured last year.

Stumbling along in the lower brackets for the first half of the campaign, the Leafs suddenly have caught fire, knocking off the top and bottom National Hockey League teams with equal ease.

Saturday Toronto thumped the high-and-mighty Detroit Red Wings 3 to 1, then moved to New York Sunday night and blanked Rangers 3 to 0. It was rather a lean week-end for the Leafs, who barely managed to rally for a 4 to 4 tie at Boston Sunday night. In other week-end games, Boston whipped Rangers 4 to 2 Saturday and Chicago Black Hawks edged the faltering Montreal Canadiens 4 to 3 in the Windy City.

The big man in Toronto's week-end upsurge has been slick Max Bentley. He slammed home a pair of markers in each game to account for two-thirds of the Leaf goal production. Bentley Saturday won himself a future race-horse when Leafs whacked Detroit before 14,191 Toronto fans. He connected with his first goal seconds after

tail-end Rangers 3 to 0. Ted Kennedy scored the other Leaf goal in this contest. The victory moved Toronto three points ahead of the fourth-place Canadiens and nudged New York deeper into the cellar, three points back of Chicago.

Detroit's furious third-period drive paid off for the Wings at Boston Sunday night and gave them a 4 to 4 draw with the Bruins. Trailing 4 to 1 going into the final session, Detroit got hot and Gordie Howe, Bud Poile and Ted Lindsay tallied within five minutes to knot the count.

PEIRSON STARS
Pete Horeck gave Detroit an early lead in the first period, but Boston came through with four straight markers, Johnny Peirson beating Harry Lumley twice and Paul Ronny and Eddie Sanford once each.

Two rookies just recalled from Boston's Hershey American League farm starred in Bruins 4 to 2 victory over New York Saturday night. Dave Creighton and Topper Toppanzini, both still in their teens, each scored a goal and collected an assist.

Edgar Laprade notched both Ranger counters, while Sanford and Ronny scored the other Boston goals.

Montreal suffered their sixth defeat in their last seven games in losing to Chicago.

The victory was a costly one for the Hawks who lost centre Gus Bodnar for an indefinite period when he was accidentally struck by Murph Chamberlain's flying skate on the chin and knocked to the ice. He was feared to be suffering from a possible broken jaw and slight concussion.

Roy Conacher and Red Hamill

was virtually destroyed by fire last fall.

UNCOVERED STAND
He did not elaborate on plans for the temporary park but it is understood that the arrangement would call for an uncovered, tubular steel grandstand like the one used in Tacoma.

Hotchkiss noted that the Indians still have 17 players on the reserve list and that they would be available to Spokane if their contracts are in the mail by March 1.

Spokane's new co-owner was formerly owner of the Spokane Clippers hockey team and has been interested in obtaining all or part of the Spokane W.I.L. franchise for some time. It was Hotchkiss who put up the \$30,000 needed to pay off former-owner Sam Collins, who sold the franchise to the Butler-Ryan combine at the end of the 1947 season.

Spokane will have a team in the Western International Baseball League this season and will be able to open at home as scheduled April 29 in a temporary park, a prospective new owner predicted Sunday.

The optimistic comment came from Roy Hotchkiss, Spokane business man, whose offer to purchase the John (Buddy) Ryan interest in the Indians has been approved by the league.

Both Ryan and Hotchkiss said today that they had completed all negotiations for the sale and that the transfer would be made before the Feb. 21 deadline set by the league.

Ryan and J. Lamar Butler bought the team last year. Butler will retain his interest.

Hotchkiss said he expects to have a bulldozer clearing the debris that was once Ferris Field as soon as weather permits. Ferris Field, home of the Indians,

Chuck MacDonald, Naval Sports Star, Dies In Halifax

Lt.-Cmdr. Charles (Chuck)

MacDonald, R.C.N., former rugby and soccer star with Victoria clubs and prominent distance runner, died in naval hospital at Halifax on Saturday. MacDonald had been confined to hospital for about a week. He was officer in charge of the physical training school at Halifax.

Prior to the war MacDonald was stationed at H.M.C.S. Naden charge of the physical training.

An enthusiastic rugby and soccer player MacDonald played for the Victoria Crimson Tide in the McKeechne Cup series.

MacDonald held the B.C. mile track championship and established a naval record for the mile while qualifying in physical training.

MacDonald is survived by a widow and two children. The body will be brought to Victoria for burial.

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Fan Takes Swing As Tony Ross Plays Villain Role Perfectly

Any time promoter Rocky Brooks wants to get his wrestling fans worked up into a state of near-exhaustion all he has to do is bring Tony Ross to town. The so-called "gentleman" was in his best form Saturday, at the Armories, as he took part in a tag-team match and when the show was over the crowd was ready to just about tear Ross' head off.

Stepping into the ring as a partner with Buck Davidson, another equally rough customer, against popular Whitey Wahlberg and Sugy Hayamaka, Ross went into his act early and it was not long before the fans were peppering Ross and Davidson with paper cups and anything else they could get their hands

on. It was a good thing there were no pop bottles around. The bombardment was so bad at one stage that Ross left the ring, but was ordered by Brooks to get back in and go to work.

Ross and Davidson just would not play according to the book and the match finally wound up with Referee Nick Harris, who spent a busy evening, awarding the deciding fall to Wahlberg and Hayamaka, as the fans roared their approval. Ross and Davidson had to be escorted from the ring but that didn't stop one fan from taking a wild swing at Tony, but luckily he missed.

Ross won the first fall from Wahlberg following a series of

punishing leg locks. Hayamaka pinned Davidson for the equalizer after he had been bounced all over the canvas with body slams.

Promoter Brooks announced after the show he would attempt to rematch the foursome with two referees to work the bout. He also stated he would seek to make it a winner-take-all affair. Jack McLaughlin and Al Alexandra worked in the semi-wind-up and came up with some of the smartest wrestling seen here this winter. The pair uncovered just about every hold in the game with Alexandra taking the odd fall in three.

Cal Roberts won the opener from youthful Don Moore of Seattle.

43-Year-Old Stack Captures Canadian Speed Skating Title

SASKATOON (CP) — Winnipeg's veteran Frank Stack and Saskatoon's Patricia Lawson emerged Saturday as senior champions at the Canadian amateur speed skating competitions after two days of tests in which 17 records went into the books.

Stack, Canada's best despite his 43 years of age, accumulated 90 points to retain the senior men's crown, while Miss Lawson had 100 points to her credit in taking senior women's honors. Bill Kastling of Edmonton ran second to Stack, while his sister, Babs Kastling, was next to Miss Lawson. With temperatures well below zero and Friday's wind abated to

a great degree, the skaters really went to work on the record book Saturday. They posted 13 fresh marks—four in races where there were no previous official Canadian times. On Friday, there had been four records.

Gene Sanvig and Norman Horn, both of Minneapolis, were among the record breakers. Sanvig set new times in the intermediate 220 and 880 events while Horn established records in the 220 and 440 junior category. Another double was set by Edmonton's Jerry Wynn, who topped previous marks in the juvenile boys 220 and 440.

Stack and Kastling posted records in the 880 and mile, respectively.

Ireland Wins

DUBLIN (Reuter) — Ireland defeated Hungary 14 to 5 Saturday in an international Rugby Union game here.

Dinner Gong Threat For \$100,000 Anita Handicap

ARCADIA, Calif. (AP) — Dinner Gong clanged out an easy victory in the \$50,000 San Antonio Handicap Saturday and sounded a threat for the \$100,000 Santa Anita Handicap two weeks away.

The longest-priced challenger in a crack field of seven, Dinner Gong raced to a five-length triumph over a muddy track and a vast number of the 48,000 fans

present groaned as the favorites were shut out.

Autocrat was second, a nose ahead of War Trophy.

Ace Admiral, winner of the \$100,000 Santa Anita Maternity, finished dead last in the 1 1/4-mile run.

On Trust, often called the world's champion second-place horse because he has been runner-up in no less than five rich stakes, was fourth this time.

Sports Round-Up

By HUGH FULLERTON JR.

NEW YORK (AP) — The man from Fort Wayne, Ind., seemed to be a bit more enthusiastic

about his boss than his drum-beating job required. "Fred Zollner," he proclaimed, "would like to be a real big-leaguer. He knows he can't have a big-league baseball or football club in Fort Wayne, so he went into the sports where he can be big league—pro basketball and fastball."

Fastball, it must be explained, is a new name for the speeded-up version of softball and Zollner's team is having a lot more success there than in the Basketball Association of America. "Fred maintains there's no such thing as the law of averages catching up with you," continued drummer Roger Nelson. "He says you have a 50-50 chance in every game. Well, he won 99 games and lost 20 last year. In 1947 it was 113 and 19. In one game our pitcher, Elmer Rohrs, struck out the first 23 batsman. When the 24th hit a long foul over the fence, Fred sent all four of the pitchers on the bench out to warm up. Gosh, how he hates to lose." And gosh, how his basketball players, who have won 16 and lost 29, must have to think about their jobs for next season.

MONDAY MATINEE

Marquette's "Informal" hockey team has as its player-coach Ray Beaumont, who also is sports editor of the Marquette Tribune. He could get a real scoop by organizing a "Good-bye Ray" club just before his graduation. Note to the trade: Stanley Woodward's book, "Sports Page," goes on sale today. It's worth having if only to show your boss Stan's observations on expense accounts.

Trail Hockey Club Defeats Spokane

SPOKANE, Wash. (AP) — Trail Smoke Eaters stopped Spokane, 6 to 4, Sunday night in the first of a two-game Western International League hockey series.

After a scoreless first period, Trail counted twice in the second period and matched the Flyers' four-goal thrust in the third for victory. Nicol with two goals and Turik, J. Anderson, D. Anderson and Clement scored for the winners. Petrucci scored twice for Spokane, Rypley and McBride getting the others.

TIDES

Feb.	Time h.m.	High ft.	Time h.m.	High ft.	Time h.m.	High ft.	
14	8:31	6.7	9:31	7.3	14:32	9:02	22.02
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16	7:54	5.0	8:53	5.7	16:52	8:43	23.48
17	7:38	4.0	8:37	5.1	17:52	8:27	24.48
18	7:23	3.3	8:22	4.5	18:42	8:12	25.32
19	7:08	2.8	8:07	4.0	19:27	7:57	26.02
20	6:54	2.3	7:53	3.5	20:07	7:43	26.58
21	6:40	1.8	7:39	3.0	20:52	7:29	27.42
22	6:27	1.3	7:26	2.5	21:42	7:16	28.02
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24	6:04	0.3	7:03	1.5	23:22	6:53	28.62
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26	5:45	0.0	6:44	0.5	24:52	6:34	28.42
27	5:37	0.0	6:36	0.0	25:02	6:26	28.02
28	5:30	0.0	6:29	0.0	25:42	6:19	27.42

SUNRISE AND SUNSET
Pacific Standard Time
Feb. 15—Rises 7:22 a. m.; sets 5:35 p. m.

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Dave Douglas Wins Texas Open Golf

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP) — Lanky Dave Douglas of Wilmington, Del., Sunday won the \$10,000 Texas Open with a score of 268 for 72 holes.

Douglas, who had won only \$55 along the winter tournament trail until yesterday, shot a six-under-par 65 to capture first money of \$2,000.

The tall fellow shaded Sam Snead of White Sulphur Springs, W.Va., by a stroke. Dick Metz of Virginia Beach, Va., and Johnny Palmer of Bakin, N.E., finished in a tie for third place with 270.

Hoppe Turns Back Mexican To Hold Billiards Crown

CHICAGO (AP) — Willie Hoppe, who has held some type of a world's billiard title for 43 consecutive years to become sports' longest reigning champion, has tucked away his fifth three-cushion crown.

The 61-year-old Hoppe successfully defended his world's three-cushion diadem last night by downing Joe Chamaco of Mexico City, 50 to 43, in 57 innings. It was his sixth victory without a defeat in the three-day round robin tournament.

In the pocket billiards division of the meet, Jimmy Caras, 40-year-old veteran from Upper Darby, Pa., regained his world's championship. He first won it in 1936 and repeated in 1938.

Caras bagged four victories in six starts and clinched the title by defeating Andrew Ponzi, 150 to 123, in 19 innings.

Pittsburgh Club Gives Billy Meyer Three-Year Contract

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Pittsburgh Pirates Saturday tore up manager Billy Meyer's old contract and gave him a new one for the next three years with a substantial but undisclosed salary increase.

The owners of the National League baseball club said it was a reward for his good work in bringing the Bucs from last place to fourth in his first year in the managerial post and also an expression of their confidence.

Meyer was reported to be the first pilot in Pirate history to be given a three-year contract. Only a few previous managers had two-year agreements. One of them, Billy Herman, resigned at the end of one year in 1947 and the Pirates paid him around \$28,000 for his unused 1948 services.

Peter Salmon Star As Washington Wins

PULLMAN (AP) — University of Washington swimming team completed its conquest of the Inland Empire Saturday by defeating Washington State College, 51 to 33.

Four Washington State pool records were broken and a fifth record established in a new event—the 150-yard individual medley race by Washington swimmer Peter Salmon. He won four events to earn 15 points and top scoring honors.

Salmon captured the 220-yard free style in 2:39.3; the 200-yard breast stroke in 2:42.4; the 440-yard free style in 5:15.5, and the individual medley (breast stroke, backstroke and free stroke, 50 yards each) in (record) 1:41.

Racing Results

ARCADIA, Calif. — Results of horse racing at the Santa Anita track Saturday follow:

First Race—
Red Tape (Lisenberger) \$17.70 \$9.50 \$6.20
Jimmy John (Mervin) 26.10 16.70
War Archives (Longden) 6.50
Scratched: Timber Shoot, War Scout, Vinhar, Air Belle.
Second Race—
Evening Story (Gray) \$24.90 \$11.30 \$8.00
Pading (Cardinal) 5.30 4.00
Secret Night (Bassett) 11.20
Scratched: Pasi, Torino.
Third Race—
Gold Heel (Arcaro) \$5.40 \$4.00 \$3.30
Bull Reign (Peretti) 6.30 4.30
War Slave (Chogaski) 4.30 3.40
Scratched: Harum Scrum, Galacope, On the Hour, Big Day.
Fourth Race—
Flaming Bush (Martin) \$14.80 \$3.70 \$3.20
So La Ci (Longden) 2.70 2.30
Jaded Jade (Neves) 7.20
Scratched: Power Red, General K.
Straight Man, June Bride.
Fifth Race—
Buck Sabu (Lisenberger) \$7.00 \$4.00 \$3.30
Mohair (Adams) 4.60 3.60
Nashy Pass (Trent) 4.60
Scratched: Knights Music, Dicks Agency, Ducky Chance, Hoodlum, Evening Tune.
Sixth Race—
George Gains (Wood) \$22.30 \$4.00 \$3.20
Grand Perry (Martin) 4.70 3.80
Mr. Ace (Arcaro) 2.80
Scratched: Tape Buster, Speculation.
Seventh Race—
Dinner Gong (Querry) \$37.40 \$15.10 \$12.50
Autocrat (Whigstock) 1.46 1.50
War Trophy (Caffarella) 8.50
Scratched: See The Sea, Solidarity, More Beans, Steppfather.
Eighth Race—
Chasin' Hounders \$7.00 \$4.00 \$3.30
Cash Reward (Lisenberger) 2.30 1.90
Scratched: Out of the Blue, Better Valpe, Malconero, Iapahan.

Sudbury Scores Pair Of Tourney Shutouts

STOCKHOLM (CP) — Despite two convincing victories in the world amateur hockey tournament which started here Saturday, Canada's Sudbury Wolves are not picked by the experts here to win the world title.

Unscored on in their first two clashes, Max Silverman's Wolves are being called to bow to the United States entry in the final round.

The Canadians walloped Denmark 47 to 0 Saturday and followed it up with a 7 to 0 triumph yesterday over Austria. Canada, Denmark and Austria are in group A of the tournament.

The United States team and Sweden qualified with Canada for the final six-team round robin tournament. There are three groups with a total of 10 teams. In each group the teams involved play each other and then the two leaders advance to the finals.

The United States team, grouped with Norway, Belgium and Switzerland, opened with a convincing 12 to 5 triumph over Switzerland Saturday. Yesterday they trounced Norway 12 to 1. Sweden, in group B, opened with a 12 to 1 victory over Finland and then defeated Czechoslovakia 4 to 2.

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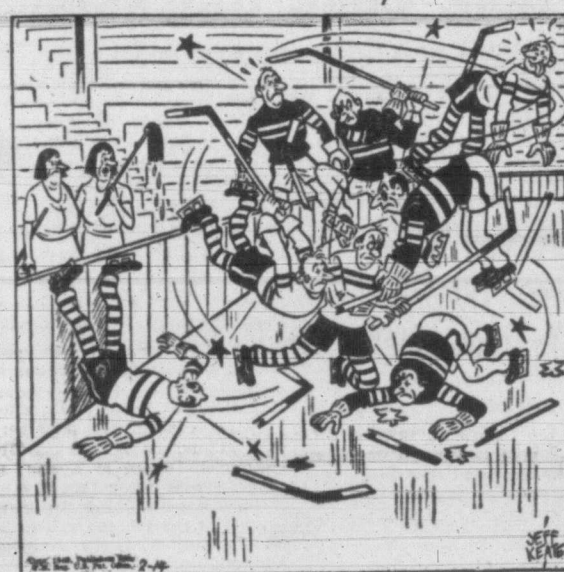
F. W. (Dinty) Moore, coach of the Canadian team, said yesterday the Wolves are as good as the United States, Czechoslovakia and Sweden. But a Swiss

Minor Hockey

Washington, 5; Cleveland, 6. Indianapolis, 4; Philadelphia, 2. Hershey, 2; Pittsburgh, 8. New Haven, 1; Springfield, 4. St. Paul, 11; Minneapolis, 2. Fort Worth, 1; Tulsa, 3. Houston, 3; Dallas, 8. Cleveland, 1; St. Louis, 7. Philadelphia, 2; New Haven, 9. Springfield, 2; Providence, 2. Hershey, 3; Buffalo, 3. Pittsburgh, 2; Indianapolis, 4. St. Paul, 4; Kansas City, 4.

TIME OUT!

By Jeff Keate



"The game ended long ago... their managers decided to let them get it out of their systems!"

Alan Watkins Puts On First Century In Test Cricket

JOHANNESBURG (Reuter) — Alan Watkins, the Glamorgan lefthander, today scored his first century in test cricket with an innings of 111 against South Africa in the fourth test match. England were all out in their first innings for 379, the last three wickets having put on 89 runs today. South Africa were one run for no wicket at lunch.

Getting fine support from C. Gladwin, S. Griffith and J. Young in turn, Watkins attacked the bowling with confidence.

After making 111 Watkins trod on his wicket in playing a ball from Guan McCarthy, 19-year-old fast-bowler. McCarthy took three for 26 and his final figures for the innings were five for 114.

Canadian Women Capture Ski Honors

LAKE PLACID, N.Y. (CP) — Canada's women skiers, paced by the brilliant performance of Mrs. Rhoda Wurtele Eaves of Montreal, Saturday won the Kate Smith international trophy by a margin of less a minute over the United States.

Mrs. Eaves, a member of Canada's ski team at the 1948 winter Olympics, negotiated two trips down the slalom course in 1:46.1, leaving the remainder of the field far in the rear.

The total time for the Canadians in the downhill and slalom was 34 minutes 46 seconds. The United States trailed with 35 minutes 40 1/10 seconds.

Mrs. Eaves, the team captain, also was first in the combined with a total of 3:35.3 for the downhill and slalom.

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Reserve Men Home Tuesday

Victoria will seem warm to 10 men when they disembark here Tuesday morning.

The men have been sleeping outdoors in 40-below weather as part of the army's winter indoctrination course for reservists held at Wainwright, Alta., for the past two weeks.

Members of the 5th (B.C.) H.A.A. Regiment, R.C.A., the 10 men were taught the use of skis and toboggans, bushcraft, snowshoe traveling, packboard packing, outdoor cooking and the ways of the northern trappers.

They spent three days and two nights outdoors, sleeping in Arctic sleeping bags. The nights they spent outdoors were re-

ported to be among the coldest in the region this winter, with temperatures dropping to the minus 40-mark.

Anti-aircraft training on Beaufort guns was carried out by the Victorians, along with other reserve army men from B.C. and Alberta.

The returning men are: B.S.M. A. F. Jones, Bdr. W. J. Jaffer, Gmrs. R. A. Casson, W. R. Foreman, R. V. Hurst, W. Zuchirka, J. D. Lawson, C. J. Leece, H. C. Tkachuk, D. B. L. Tuttle.

Also arriving Tuesday morning will be Sgt. A. H. Harrington, of the Royal Canadian School of Artillery here, who was giving Beaufort instruction at Wainwright.

Cannot Accept Free Tennis Instruction

Offers from the Canadian and American Lawn Tennis Association to send professional tennis instructors to Victoria to give free lessons to city youngsters will have to be turned down, Gordon Hartley, supervisor of summer playground activities here, has announced.

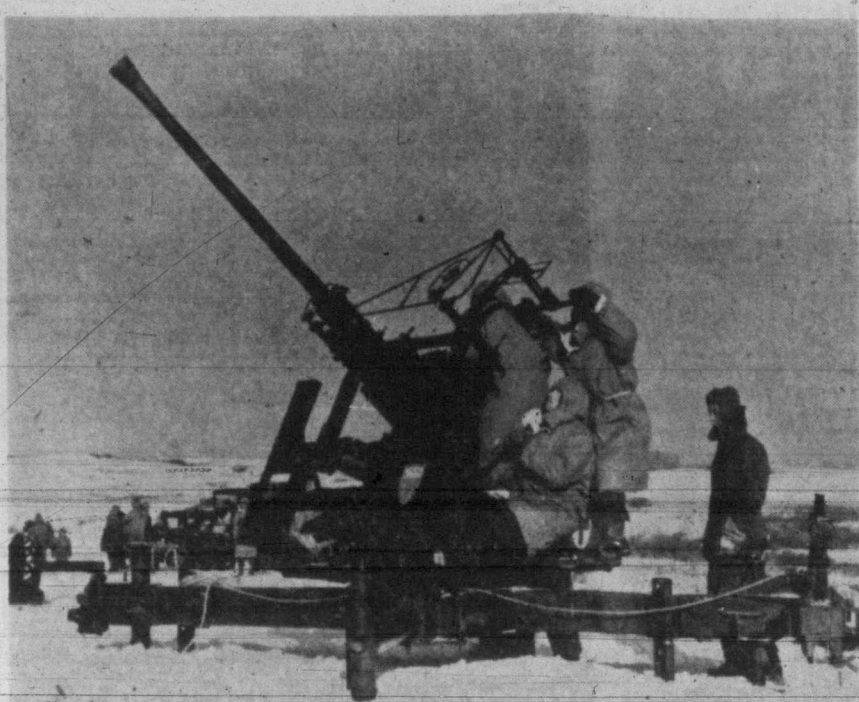
Mr. Hartley said the offers were generous and valuable but

that they could not be accepted because of the serious lack of proper facilities in the city.

"We cannot accept these offers for the simple reason there is no place for the instructors to carry on their work," he said.

"The tennis court situation in Victoria is worse than ever," he added.

M. J. Cotton, 3833 Cumberland Road, reported to city police that two red plaid robes worth \$14 were stolen from his car while it was parked unattended in the 700 block of Johnson Street during the week-end.



B.C. RESERVISTS TRAIN—On the firing range at Wainwright Military Camp, B.C. members of the Canadian Army reserve forces have been training in 25-below weather for the past two weeks. In the gun crew above are Gunners J. D. Lawson, Victoria; B. Garrett, Vancouver; G. Olson, Prince Rupert; O. Sheir, Prince Rupert; B. Chick, Vancouver, and D. B. L. Tuttle, Victoria.

No Accidents Of Serious Nature Throughout Area

Accidents during the week-end in Victoria and district were of a minor nature and no persons were seriously hurt, according to police.

Fred J. Knobbs, 210 Montreal Street, was taken to Jubilee Hospital Saturday night for treatment to a bad cut on the left forearm. City police said the car he was driving south on Douglas Street was in collision with one driven east on Blanshard by John W. Copersmith, 235 Montreal Street. The impact turned the Knobbs car over on its side.

A car driven by Paul Wheeler, Alexander Apartments, 791 Pandora Avenue, was damaged at 5 Sunday morning when it struck a railing at the north end of Store Street on B.C.E.R. property. The driver told police he did not realize this was a blind street until it was too late to avoid an accident.

Mrs. Mary J. Espley, passenger in a B.C. Electric bus, was taken to Jubilee Hospital and treated by Dr. E. L. McNiven for shock at 6:25 Sunday night when the bus was in collision with a parked car in the 700 block of Esquimalt Road. Damage to the car owned by Elmer M. Hood, 704 Esquimalt Road, was estimated at \$25. Bus was driven by Archie Kerr. Ice-covered roads were blamed for the mishap.

Extensive damage was done to a car bearing Saskatchewan license plates at 9:35 Sunday night in an accident at North Park and Cook Streets. Police said that while George A. Stephens of the Old Mill Bungalow Court, Island Highway, was cleaning the frost off the windshield of the car, a vehicle driven south on Cook by Alexander H. Miller, 1000 Moss Street, skidded into the rear of it.

Constable Bud Godfrey of the B.C. Police highway patrol, reported that the cautious motoring public got into little difficulty in his area during the week-end. He said one car did turn over on the Malahat, but that no one was injured.

Caught In Storeroom, Young Trio Warned

A member of the Canadian Corps of Commissioners on duty as caretaker in the Ogden Point area Sunday afternoon was responsible for the apprehension of three 15-year-old youths who succeeded in getting into the premises of Wagner, Stein and Green Co.

The commissionaire caught the trio coming from the storeroom where parts of ships are stored. Police called to the scene, headed by Sgt. P. Atkinson, took the boys to the police station. They were warned about their actions and taken home to their parents.

City C.N.R. Building Sold

The former C.N.R. office building at 1011 Government Street had been sold to Howard B. Craig and Claude Prutton, real estate agents, through the railway company's Winnipeg office, it was learned today. The realty firm may use the building either for their own office or lease it for an antique shop.

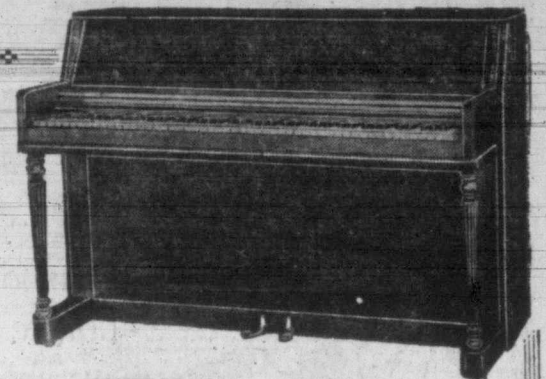
C.N.R. officials said here they did not know the name of the purchaser as all transactions had been carried out by the Winnipeg office. They had been informed,

however, that the building was sold.

The building situated two doors down from the Weiler building, was vacated recently by the railway company which moved its new offices located at the corner of Fort and Government Streets.

Jail For Begging

John Garbut admitted his guilt to begging on the city streets when he appeared in city police court today before Magistrate H. C. Hall. He was sentenced to 30 days in jail.



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Metropolitan Church Anniversary Dinner To Be Held Tonight

Metropolitan United Church will conclude its week-end program marking its 90th anniversary with a banquet this evening at 6:15.

Speaker will be Dr. E. D. Braden of Ryerson United Church, Vancouver, whose subject will be "The Art of Living Together."

Among those present will be two former ministers of the church now retired and living in the city—Dr. T. E. Holling and Dr. W. J. Sippell. Christopher Spencer, one of the trustees, had indicated his intention to be present, but is unable to make the trip over from the mainland.

Greetings will be brought by Rev. Curry Thomson, chairman of the Victoria Presbytery. There will be a program of music and congratulatory speeches.

SERVICES SUNDAY

Sunday, the church was well filled at both services.

Prof. Basil Mathews of Union College, University of British Columbia, spoke at both morning and evening services. His morning subject was "The Anvil Has Worn Out Many Hammers," while in the evening his topic was "Framing Milestones."

Dr. A. E. Whitehouse conducted both services.

Charged With Driving While Intoxicated

John B. Murray, Deep Cove, appeared before Magistrate H. C. Hall at a special sitting of Saanich police court this morning and was charged with being intoxicated while in control of a car. He was remanded to Thursday afternoon without plea.

Defendant was apprehended by Saanich police Sunday morning on Gorge Road.

Seeks Information On Flower Baskets

Victoria's flower-baskets-on-the-streets idea continues to spread.

Percy Gaw, real estate man of Everett, Wash., in a letter to Jack Price, local photographer, asks for details regarding brackets to hang plants from light standards.

Mr. Gaw states that, after seeing the hanging baskets here last August, he induced the City Beautiful Council of Everett to try the same idea in that city.

Mr. Price will hand the letter over to the city parks board who look after Victoria's hanging flower baskets.

In Victoria, Texas, the postmaster has presented his town with 16 sets of potted dwarf rose bushes and the equipment for suspending them from lighting columns, according to a report here.

Kinsmen To Sponsor Air Cadet Squadron

The Kinsmen Club has decided to take over sponsorship of the Greater Victoria Air Cadet Squadron, No. 89, it has been announced by Cecil Fletcher, club president.

Kinsmen will take over as squadron sponsors on Friday, Feb. 25, at an inspection parade to be held at Macaulay Camp.

The squadron has been sponsored since Dec. 1946, by the Air Force Officers' Association.

The group will be known in future as the 89 (Kinsmen) R.C. A.C. Squadron. Cadets will be issued new shoulder patches carrying this name.

Frank Fraser, Ted Hiberson and D. McGimpsey have been named to a Kinsmen committee to handle cadet matters.

Story Taken As Not Guilty Plea

"If I did it, I don't remember it." That was the statement of John Brister in city police court today when a charge was read alleging he supplied an Indian with logana wine Saturday.

Magistrate H. C. Hall took this as a plea of not guilty and remanded Brister to Tuesday for trial.

Pays \$300 Fine

Chee Mee, Chinese owner of the premises at 515 Cormorant Street, was fined \$300, or in default three months in jail, by Magistrate H. C. Hall in city police court today. Mee pleaded guilty to a charge of unlawfully keeping liquor for sale.

A squad of police, headed by Sgt. Peris Atkinson, raided the premises during the week-end and found a large supply of liquor. Displayed in the courtroom were six 26-ounce and 18 12-ounce bottles of rye, 13 12-ounce bottles of gin and three 26-ounce bottles of wine.

Patrick J. Sinnott appeared for accused and paid the fine.

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First person to respond to the appeal for subscriptions to assist H. David, a Nootka Indian, whose sole means of livelihood was cut off when his fishing boat was sunk off the west coast of Vancouver Island, was Lieut. Governor C. A. Banks, it was disclosed today.

A. E. Pickford, who is raising the fund on behalf of the B.C. Indian Arts and Welfare Society, said other donations had been received from Victoria citizens.

More money was needed, however, for the fund to be of any real assistance to the Indian, father of four children, Mr. Pickford said. Service clubs were being approached for donations from their charitable funds.

David's fishing boat was sunk in a collision with the C.P.R. steamer Princess Maquinna on Jan. 8 with a loss of three lives. The father had loaned the boat to his son, Reginald, to pick up his bride-to-be, 17-year-old Mary Peterson of Ceepeece. The boat was cut in two on its return journey to Nootka.

H. W. Davey, K.C., will speak on "Relationship Between Client and Agent," at a luncheon meeting of the Real Estate Board of Victoria Wednesday at the Empress Hotel.

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Capitol Film Brings Cavalcade Of Music

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'Canon City' Debuts For Prison Inmates

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ous convicts on the loose, "Canon
City," opening today at the Plaza
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The first showing of this excit-
ing movie story of a real life
prison break was presented be-
fore the inmates at Canon City's
Colorado State Penitentiary
where the actual scenes of the
film were shot.

The more than 800 prisoners
who participated in the screening
of "Canon City," a factual story
of the prison break which took
place there last December, were
the first to see the movie which
they helped produce.

Goldwyn Speaks Out Against Film Actress; Scores Johnston

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Seasoned
observers weren't surprised at
Sam Goldwyn's recent tirade
against Teresa Wright and Eric
Johnston. They just added two
more battle stars to the pro-
ducer's long combat record.

Goldwyn fired actress Wright
with the comment: "I am sick
and tired by seeing what is going
on in this town—where people
have no respect for their con-
tracts and no respect for the
money they receive and refuse to
perform and co-operate."

He resigned from the pro-
ducers' association, whose head,
Eric Johnston, then commented:
"Good." That sets Sam off. He
unleashed a rebuke accusing
Johnston of using the association
for his own publicity.

INDEPENDENT CITIZEN

Goldwyn offers a refreshing
note in a town too often marked
by staid official announcements.
Fiercely independent, he's not
afraid to tangle with anyone.
This has been going on since the
earliest days of the movies.
Soon after he had merged his
interests in the new Metro-Gold-
wyn-Mayer, he left the big firm
to retain his independence.
Nothing makes him madder than
the mistaken notion that he still
has connections with M-G-M, one
of the big studios he has often
condemned.

In his long battle history, we
find Sam resigning from the
producers' group the first time in
1933, accusing one of its mem-
bers, Jack Warner, of "boot-
legging talent." Warner had
hired William Powell, Ruth Chat-
terton and Kay Francis away
from other employers.

In 1936, Goldwyn himself was
the object of a \$5,000,000 suit
by Paramount for allegedly
snatching away Gary Cooper. It
was settled by a friendly agree-
ment.

In 1938, Sam returned from
Europe and took on all of Holly-
wood. "There are too many in-
ferior people in the film busi-
ness," he declared. He said the
public was on strike against bad
pictures and the villains were the
actors, writers and directors.

In 1946, he accused Hollywood
of "fat-cat complacency" and said
the industry had "run dry of
ideas."

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Eat Yourself To Strength

By GAYNOR MADDOX
Food and Markets Editor

NEW YORK — We can eat ourselves into a physically stronger nation.

And good eating can lessen human frailty.

Although parents have been promoting such ideas for countless years by prodding youngsters to clean their plates so they'll grow up and be strong, it took a year-long investigation in human nutrition to prove, at last, that parents have the right idea.

The study, first of its kind ever made, was undertaken by Pennsylvania State College to find out with scientific accuracy if better eating could raise the physical well-being of a group of American families already in the well-fed class.

SELECTED FAMILIES

Sixty-four families were studied. Their incomes ranged from \$2,500 to \$7,000 a year. There were 239 persons between ages of 15 days and 74 years. Most of the adults had a high school education or better. They all had comfortable homes.

The college and Westinghouse Electric jointly put up \$150,000 for the investigation, led by Dr. Pauline Beery Mack, director of the Ellen Richards Institute of the college, and Mrs. Julia Klene, director of the company's home economics institute.

Dr. Mack has won recognition for her work in mass nutrition studies conducted by Pennsylvania State College and the Department of Health of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Mrs. Klene is noted for her Westinghouse Health-for-Victory program of nutrition adopted in more than 1,700 war plants.

BASIC STEPS

Their study followed these basic steps:

1. They gave each of the 239 individuals a medical, dental and nutrition test. This physical check-up was repeated in six months and again at the end of the year.

2. They planned master menus for each family, based primarily on the physical and nutritional needs of the individuals in it. As far as consistent with good nutrition, the menus were based on the family's general eating preference or traditional eating habits.

3. They then sent in a corps of experts to show not only how



Home Economist Julia Klene (centre) and Mrs. J. Fred Osterling, whose family was one of those studied in the nutrition survey, are reflected in a market mirror during a practical demonstration of how to get the greatest value for food dollars. Said Mrs. Osterling: "It was a revelation to us all."



Dr. Pauline Beery Mack: "They were better human critters."

to cook the food but also how to buy and store it.

Initial check-ups showed that the families under study were getting too little food, poorly chosen, cooked by haphazard methods that destroyed much of its nutritional value.

MORE SEA FOODS

The use of sea foods, of variety meats such as liver—particularly—and kidneys, and of dark bread had been stepped up. The use of milk and cheese had been increased 24 per cent, the use of green and yellow vegetables 24 per cent, of potatoes 9 per cent, of fruits and other vegetables 9 per cent, of cereals and related products 21 per cent, and of fats 30 per cent. Cooking methods were improved.

Before the experimental period ended the subjects discovered, first, that they liked foods they thought they didn't; and, second, that they enjoyed eating more—because, as doctors know, appetite increases with the habit of eating.

At the end of a year, the final check-ups showed a marked decrease in irritability and fatigue, as well as generally improved body tone.

Explains Dr. Mack: "They were better human critters." But they did not rate very high as human critters at the beginning.

BAD EATING HABITS

Dr. Mack, who thinks like a scientist but talks like a down-to-earth farmer, says:

"Here we had a group, all selected because they were apparently in good health. They came from skilled-labor, business, semi-professional and professional groups—pacemakers among American families. But their eating habits were lousy."

The physical condition of this "pacemaker" group leads to the conclusion, she adds, that the failure of the public to live up to a few simple rules of good eating is sapping our national strength.

"Our initial check-up revealed heart tensions, fatigue, gingivitis and many other borderline conditions due or related to bad nutrition," she adds. "There were lots of poor reflexes—meaning too many skittish auto drivers. There was deficient dark accommodation. If a man goes into a darkened movie theatre and sits on someone's hat or the lap of another man's wife, that's deficient dark accommodation due to eating the wrong way."

Adult females made the worst showing at the beginning, teenage girls about as bad. The men and teenage boys of the family did better. Children under 12 came out best.

"I FEED THEM BETTER"

Of the 64 families selected, that of Dr. J. Fred Osterling of Philadelphia showed the highest over-all rating at the end of the year. Osterling is a chemical engineer, with a wife and three

children. Here are Mrs. Osterling's observations:

"It was a revelation to us all. I had grown up in a 'meat and potato family,' so I had a lot to learn about nutritionally balanced diets. I used to worry about those blue lines across the bridge of the nose and under the eyes of my children. Now they are gone because I feed them better. We all feel fitter, look better and seem happier. Do you wonder I want to tell the world?"

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OTTAWA (CP)—The United States Navy threw open the doors today of one of its special defence schools to give a group of Canadian naval officers the latest in defence-medical training.

In all, 20 medical officers of the Royal Canadian Navy's reserve will move to the United States in two groups for the special training in new, but unspecified weapons and radioactive isotopes.

The medical officers are drawn from various naval divisions across the country. The first group, consisting of six officers, the first to leave Canada, began the course today. The second group of 14 officers will attend a repetition of the same course, starting April 25.

Naval headquarters said the training course lasts five and a half days. It will take place in conjunction with training of United States naval medical reserve corps officers.

The special course is being run at the U.S. National Naval Medical Centre at Bethesda, Md.

Those attending from Canada include:

First Course — Surgeon Lt.-Cmdr. J. D. Ross, H.M.C.S. Non-Comm. R. G. Murray, H.M.C.S. Unicorn, Saskatoon.

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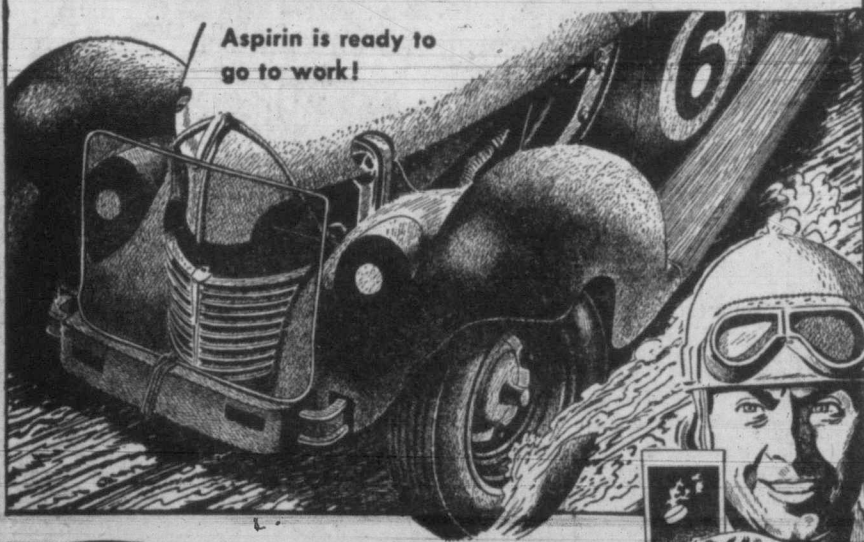
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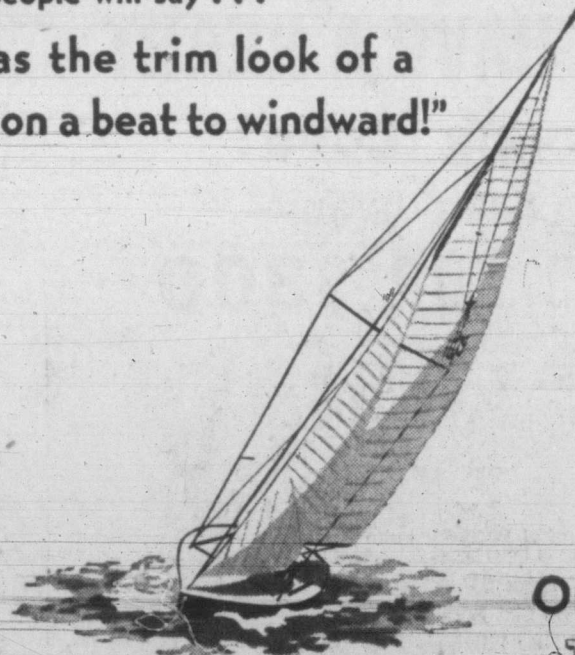
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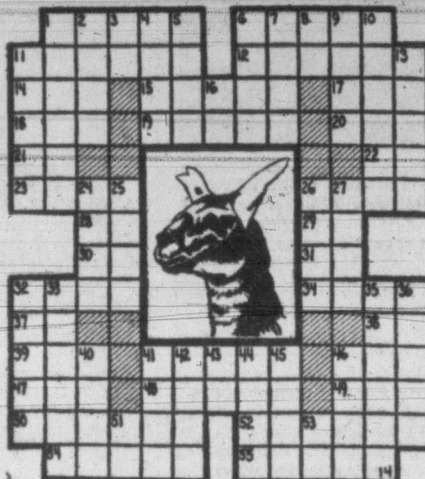
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ruminant
6 It is native to
America
11 Period of the
year
12 Open
13 Hoped
14 Looked fixedly
17 Hall
18 Argument
19 Wearies
20 Mourn
21 French article
22 North Dakota
(ab.)
23 Formerly
24 Sad, cry
25 Buttery
26 Bubbled
27 Negative reply
31 Symbol for
actinium
32 It produces
time
34 Bivials
37 Hebrew deity
38 Higher
39 Born
41 Holy Book
42 Gift teacher
43 Black
46 Senior
48 Puss
49 Secondary
50 stipule
52 Smiles
54 Short jackets
55 Closed car

VERTICAL

1 Chief
2 Earth
3 While
4 Greatest
5 quantity
6 Opposed
7 Certain
8 Units
9 We
10 Athletic group
11 Cuban city
12 Title
13 Accommodates
14 Measure of area
16 Chinese
(comb. form)
18 Wing-shaped
21 Makes crazy
22 Gaseous (root)
23 Chemical salt



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By Wm. E. McKenney
America's Card Authority

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Artie Dunn, Morty Nevins and Al Nevins, known to music lovers as The Three Suns, dropped in the other day. They were telling me how the idea of forming a trio came to them one day in a Brooklyn taxicab. Now they are on the top of the world, playing at the Astor Roof in New York City.

Morty told a few stories, including the one about the card player who joined Alcoholics Anonymous and was afraid he might be expelled when he took up the game called gin.

After a game of Kalabrias with Morty, we decided to play bridge. I played with Artie, who is considered a very good pinochle player. His pinochle ex-

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AK63
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754
63

M. Nevins
94
KJ76
K1083
1098

Al Nevins
QJ108
2
85
Q6
7542

Dunn
75
AQ3
AJ92
AKQJ

Rubber—Both vul.

South	West	North	East
1♠	Pass	1♠	Pass
3NT	Pass	Pass	Pass
Opening—♠10			

perience gave us game and rubber on today's hand.

Unfortunately for him, Morty opened the ten of clubs, which Artie won with the ace. In pinochle you force-out the opponents' high cards without wasting time taking finesses. So Artie did not make the mistake of going over to dummy with a spade to take a heart finesse, which would have lost. If he had done so, he might have tried going back to dummy and taking another heart finesse. Artie simply laid down the ace and queen of hearts. Morty won the queen with the king and now there was no return he could make that would prevent Artie from making nine tricks.

He led a diamond and when Al put on the queen, Morty won with the ace and led the three of hearts, thus establishing dummy's ten for the ninth trick. Now I have a pinochle challenge match on my hands. If Artie plays pinochle as well as he plays the organ, I may not do so well.

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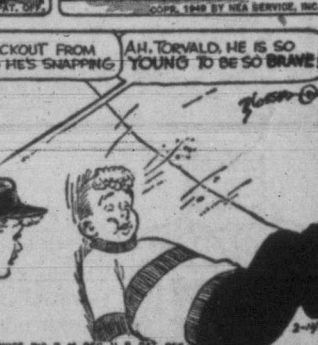
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BREWSTER-ARMSTRONG - Mr. and Mrs. W.
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Miss Margaret Jean Brewster, to
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Street, on Saturday, Feb. 12, 1949, at 2.30 p.m.
The ceremony took place at St. Andrew's
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MAWLEY-STEVENS - Mr. and Mrs. M.
Stevens, 2217 Quadra Street, announce
the marriage of their daughter,
Miss Mary Mawley, to Mr. W. F.
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Saturday, Feb. 12, 1949, at 2.30 p.m.
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Deaths

BIRD - At her residence, 588 George Road,
West, on Feb. 11, 1949, Mary Bird, nee
Lachapelle, 71 years, born in Lac-
ombe, Que., and a resident of this
city for the past 27 years. She leaves
to mourn her passing her husband,
William George Bird, at home; two
sons, William Herbert Bird and
Edward Vale Bird; Charles William
Henry Bird of Vancouver, B.C.;
two daughters, Mrs. J. C. Bird and
Mrs. J. C. Bird; and a large family of
grandchildren.

CAMPBELL - Mrs. Beatrice Campbell, aged
79 years, widow of Duncan E. Campbell,
passed away at 1.30 p.m. on Feb. 12,
1949, at her home, 1229 Linden Avenue, N. 10.
She was born in Scotland, and a resident
of this city for the past 27 years. She
leaves to mourn her passing her husband,
Duncan E. Campbell, at home; four
daughters, Mrs. D. B. Taylor, Mrs. D. B.
Taylor, Mrs. D. B. Taylor, and Mrs. D. B.
Taylor; and a large family of grandchildren.

CHRISTIE - In Victoria, on Feb. 12, 1949,
Margaret Christie, nee Christie, aged 76
years, 999 Burrill Street, formerly of 2642
Blackwood, died at 1.30 p.m. She was
born in Scotland, and a resident of
this city for the past 27 years. She
leaves to mourn her passing her husband,
John Christie, at home; three sons,
John, William, and George; and a large
family of grandchildren.

DAWSON - Passed away at the Victoria
Hospital on Feb. 12, 1949, Henry Dawson,
aged 71 years, born in Edinburgh, Scotland,
and a resident of this city for the past
27 years. He leaves to mourn his passing
his wife, Mary Dawson, at home; three
daughters, Mrs. J. C. Dawson, Mrs. J. C.
Dawson, and Mrs. J. C. Dawson; and a
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HANSEN - At 63 George Road, on Saturday,
Feb. 12, 1949, Mr. George Hansen, aged 71
years, born in Denmark, and a resident
of this city for the past 27 years. He
leaves to mourn his passing his wife, Mary
Hansen, at home; three daughters, Mrs. J.
C. Hansen, Mrs. J. C. Hansen, and Mrs. J.
C. Hansen; and a large family of grandchildren.

MATHISON - Passed away at the family
residence, 1194 Goodwin Street, on Feb. 12,
1949, Mr. George Mathison, aged 71 years,
born in England, and a resident of this
city for the past 27 years. He leaves to
mourn his passing his wife, Mary Mathison,
at home; three daughters, Mrs. J. C. Mathison,
Mrs. J. C. Mathison, and Mrs. J. C. Mathison;
and a large family of grandchildren.

SHARP - At 63 George Road, on Feb. 12,
1949, Mr. George Sharp, aged 71 years,
born in England, and a resident of this
city for the past 27 years. He leaves to
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at home; three daughters, Mrs. J. C. Sharp,
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Deaths

THOMAS - Passed away at St. Joseph's
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Thomas, aged 71 years, widow of
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COMING EVENTS

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PARTNER WHIST, MONDAY, WED.
8.30 p.m. to 11.30 p.m. Progressive,
Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, 8.30 p.m.
to 11.30 p.m. Progressive, Wednesday,
Friday, 8.30 p.m. to 11.30 p.m. Progressive,
Saturday, 8.30 p.m. to 11.30 p.m. Progressive,
Sunday, 8.30 p.m. to 11.30 p.m. Progressive.

**PRO PATRIA BRANCH, CANADIAN LE-
GION**, B.E.R.L. The February general
meeting, postponed from Feb. 8, will be
held in the clubhouse on Tuesday, Feb. 15,
at 8 p.m. Election of standing committee
for 1949 will feature this meeting, and
as many members as possible are
requested to attend.

SHIRINE BALL EMPRESS HOTEL, FEB.
25, 9.30 p.m. Floor show, dress-
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Street, 50 cents, includes supper.

THE ELKS LODGE OF VICTORIA, FEB.
12, 8.30 p.m. The children's fund
ball at the Elks, 1130 Douglas Street,
March 11, tickets, 50 cents.

VICTORIA WHIST AND BRIDGE CLUB,
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See Tuesday's Papers for Details.

10.30 SALE
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On View—Wed., 9.30 to 5.30; Thurs., 9.30 to 5.30

DIRECTIONS—Off Oak Bay Ave., between Beckford and Richmond.

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Canadian Goods, Services In 1948
Hit \$15,350,000,000

OTTAWA (CP)—Canadians produced \$15,350,000,000 worth of goods and services in 1948, an increase of 15 per cent over 1947.

The rise, however, is attributed by the Bureau of Statistics mainly to increased prices as indicated by the 14 per cent jump in the cost-of-living index in 1948.

The bureau Saturday issued its annual preliminary estimate of the value of goods and services produced by resident Canadians last year.

It estimated the national income at \$12,802,000,000 compared with \$10,981,000,000 in 1947. National income is made up of salaries and wages to civilian labor, military pay and allowances, investment income and net income of agriculture and other unincorporated business.

To these figures the bureau added indirect taxes less subsidies, depreciation allowances and similar business costs. That was the gross national product—the value of goods and work turned out by the nation—and it showed a total of \$15,375,000,000, compared with \$13,375,000,000 in 1947.

Tom Uphill Sick
A severe bronchial condition kept Thomas Uphill, veteran Labor member for Fernie, from delivering his scheduled reply to the Speech from the Throne in the House today.

He and two other back-benchers were to have spoken.

The other two, A. Reg. MacDougall, Coalition member for Vancouver-Point Grey, and John McInnis, C.C.F.-Fort George, were heard.

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Tuesday, Feb. 16—Furnishings at 2317 Shakespeare St. (As Advertised)

Wednesday, Feb. 16—Furnishings, Cars, etc. at our Salesrooms. (As Advertised)

Thursday, Feb. 17—3-room bungalow, 1051 Beverley Place. (As Advertised)

Friday, Feb. 18—Household Furnishings, etc., at our Salesrooms. (Details Thursday's Papers)

Tuesday, Feb. 22—Fine Furnishings of W. A. Kearton, 3535 Upper Terrace (who has booked passage for South Africa) and featuring

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Tuesday, March 8—The Choice Furnishings, Chinese Bronzes, Porcelains, Ivories, Brassware, Cut Glass, Silver, etc., of the LATE MRS. J. N. HATCH and to be sold at the late Residence, 182 Barkley, under instructions from the Executors of the Estate, the Royal Trust Company

NOTE: Watch for Details, View Dates, etc., of the Above Important Sales.

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Urges Coalition Continued To Avoid Communist Inroads

The support being received by the C.C.F. from Communism was stressed by A. Reg. MacDougall, Coalition member for Vancouver-Point Grey, when he advocated in the House today the continuation of the Coalition movement in B.C.

Mr. MacDougall was replying to the Speech from the Throne. "I suggest that the reason why the people of this province insist that this coalition continue is because of the horrible alternative which may result if a three-way fight were waged at the next election," he said.

He thought the single transferable vote "or any other new-fangled method of voting" would not make any difference.

Mr. MacDougall said the welcome or unwelcome affiliation of the Communist Labor Progress Party with the C.C.F. may not have been wholly responsible for the C.C.F. victory in the Rossland-Trail by-election, yet in recent federal by-elections the C.C.F.

vote increased almost exactly by the number of L.L.P. votes recorded in previous elections. "And it is all very well for the C.C.F. to repudiate, decry and deplore and be distressed by the Communists attaching themselves to them, but I venture to say that if the issue was victory or defeat, they would welcome the votes which give them victory," the Vancouver member said.

Mr. MacDougall said there had been a great deal of misunderstanding over the refusal of the Law Society of B.C. to admit a U.B.C. Communist student to the bench.

Himself a lawyer, Mr. MacDougall said that in as much as the legal profession calls for the highest degree of honesty and general probity there should not be any limitation upon the regulatory powers at present reposed in it by way of discipline and by way of judging whether or not a man is fit to be admitted to the practice of law.

George H. Mathison, Rotarian, Passes
George Henry Mathison, a member of the Victoria Rotary Club and St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, passed away at home this morning. He was 63 years of age.

Born in England, Mr. Mathison lived in Victoria for the past 13 years, coming here from Toronto where he was a member of Zeta Lodge, No. 410, A.F. & A.M.

He is survived by his wife, Anna Bertha, at home, and a brother, Edmund, in Toronto.

Funeral services are being arranged by Sands Mortuary Ltd.

Business Chiefs Of Britain Urged To Visit Canadian West

LONDON (CP)—Sir Harry Gilpin said today in an address that British business executives should visit all Canada and not waste their time in the "tripper-like" round many have followed in the past.

Sir Harry, head of the British engineering mission to Canada last year, said: "Toronto, Montreal, possibly Quebec City, certainly Niagara Falls have constituted Canada—for them, with a venturesome foray into the wilds as far as London, Ont."

In his speech to the Gauge and Tool-Makers' Association, he continued:

"These visits must, like ours, cover the whole Dominion. For many firms, the west is likely to be most important in spite of the present scattered population. Furthermore, the people of the west, producers for the most part of food that Britain needs, are firmly seized with the need to buy British in return."

"This is augmented by the traditional western suspicion of tariff-protected eastern industries. Adequate coverage of the Dominion entails periodic visits to each city by a firm's own representative or by technically competent agents in each province."

"What I have said of the west as a market applies, although in a lesser degree, to the Maritimes. There the will to buy British is very strong."

The judge, however, handed judgment for \$289 in favor of Mr. Southall, the price of an automatic stoker installed in an annex of the defendants' hotel.

With regard to the furnace, Judge Shandley said the burden is on the plaintiff to prove that he installed a furnace which gave the same amount of heat as the old furnace.

Mr. Scott, who was principal defendant in the action, claimed the furnace was sold to him with the understanding that it would give as much heat as his old boiler. He admitted, however, that Mr. Southall sold him the automatic stoker.

The judge said Mr. Southall could not claim the price of the furnace, but could always take it back.

Allan Baker represented Mr. Scott.

Wild Riot Follows Dramatic Radio Show In Ecuador

QUITO, Ecuador (AP)—An enraged mob that hurled gasoline and flaming balls of paper took bloody vengeance here during a panic caused by an Orson Welles-type radio dramatization of an "Invasion from Mars."

The mob attacked and burned the building of the newspaper El Comercio, which housed the radio station, and killed at least six persons and injured 15 others Saturday night.

The mob wrecked the newspaper building, its equipment and the radio station. Damage is estimated at more than \$350,000.

City building inspector issued a permit today for \$2,000 alterations to a basement at 1661 Douglas Street.

Saanich municipality informed the city today that it is not prepared to pay a portion of the cost of repairs and maintenance at the Welfare House on Pandora Avenue.

Thieves broke the padlocks off the showcase in front of Stewart's shoe shop at 1613 Douglas Street during the weekend and escaped with three pairs of men's shoes valued at \$30, city detectives reported.

Save Soil, Water, Theme Of Two-Day Conference Here

Conservation in regard to soil and water will be the main topics of discussion at the second resources conference Thursday and Friday at the Empress Hotel when Dr. Atlee L. Hafenrichter of the Pacific region of the U.S. Soil Conservation Service at Portland will be guest speaker.

The conference will be opened by Premier Byron Johnson and Lands Minister E. T. Kenney at 9.30 Thursday morning. Several hundred delegates are expected to attend.

Leading discussion on the two main topics will be Dr. Charles A. Rowels, professor of soils at U.B.C., and C. E. Webb, district chief engineer of the Dominion Water and Power Bureau.

They will set the pattern for the conference discussions and outline the fundamental soil and water resources framework which governs the agricultural, fisheries, forestry, mining, power, recreational and wildlife wealths of B.C.

Their arguments are: "Careful husbandry of the land, and frugal use of all the natural resources we possess are Utopian dreams unless our soils and waters are put on a self-perpetuating basis, as against a self-destructive basis."

Dr. Hafenrichter, the guest speaker, will deliver an address at the conference banquet on the closing night. His subject will be: "People and Their Government—Partners in Conservation."

Chief of the nursery division of the Pacific Region, U.S. Soil Conservation Service, Dr. Hafenrichter directs the activities of five major nurseries maintained in the western U.S. to test trees, shrubs, grasses, legumes and other plants for use in soil conservation work.

Convener of the conference will be George F. Melrose, deputy minister of lands and forests.

Practical aim of the conference is to assess the resources wealth of the province.

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Women's 17-Jewel

High-grade Swiss movements in assorted styles... 10-karat yellow gold-filled cases. Some have rock crystals. Newly designed models... in presentation box. Cord or link bracelets. Tax extra. **Spotlight Sale Price, each, 17.95**

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Women's diamond-set wrist watches. 14-karat yellow gold cases, one small diamond on each shoulder. 17-jewel Swiss movement. Tax extra. **Spotlight Sale Price, each, 37.95**

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Men's curvex wrist watches. 10-karat yellow gold top, stainless steel back. 17-jewel movement. Modern dial, sturdy leather strap. Comes in presentation box. Tax extra. **Spotlight Sale Price, each, 16.95**

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Special In Purses

Priced so low that you'll want more than one. Your choice of leather, plastic or fabric in tailored, pouch or dress-up styles. Wine, brown, green, grey, black, navy. Nicely fitted. **Spotlight Sale Price, each, 3.79**

EATON'S—HANDBAGS, MAIN FLOOR

Fabric and Leather Handbags

Manufacturers' Clearance! Top Handle, Pouch, Triple Frame, Underarm and Shoulder Strap Models in Black and Colors...

Here's a feature you can't afford to miss! EATON'S bought up a leading manufacturer's stock and passes the savings along to you! A thrilling assortment of smart handbags in your favorite styles and materials. Included are calf, morocco, suede and goat leathers. Also some rayon bengaline. All lined and nicely finished. Black, brown, wine, navy, green. **Spotlight Sale Price, each, 5.39 to 17.50**

EATON'S—HANDBAGS, MAIN FLOOR

Special Purchase! Flatware

Restock your flatware drawers now... at this low, low price that won't be duplicated again for some time! EATON'S made a special purchase of 8,000 pieces in "Florette" pattern silver-plated flatware. You'll find it excellent wearing for everyday use. Also serviceable for hotel, kitchen or camp. A worthwhile value at a down-to-earth price! **Spotlight Sale Event.**

Teaspoons, each	Salad Forks, each
12c	19c
Dessert Forks, each	Dessert Knives, ea
19c	27c
Dessert Spoons ea	Sugar Shells, each
19c	19c

EATON'S—SILVERWARE, GOVERNMENT STREET

Handbag Favorites

A very special purchase of new handbags, offered at this very special price... tailored, shoulder strap and pouch styles. In due-text (fabric), plastic, calf, black, brown, navy, green, red. **Spotlight Sale Price, each, 2.39**

EATON'S—HANDBAGS, MAIN FLOOR

Sheffield Knives

Stainless steel knives. Mirror-polished blades, white xylonite (celluloid) handles. Dessert and dinner sizes. **Spotlight Sale Price, 1/2 doz, 3.49**

EATON'S—SILVERWARE, GOVERNMENT STREET

When you shop at EATON'S

Every purchase is backed by the famous EATON guarantee

"Goods Satisfactory or Money Refunded"

It applies to price, to quality, to value, to performance.

Shop with confidence at EATON'S

DELIVERY SERVICE

In Greater Victoria

Purchases made up to 3 p.m. will be delivered the following day.

Wednesday purchases made up to 11 a.m. will be delivered Thursday.

FOR YOUR SHOPPING CONVENIENCE...

Downtown Parking

Next to Bus Depot, Broughton at Broad

Protection for car as well as convenience for you... for all cars are under shelter.

Just drive up, a trained attendant will take your car, store it, and deliver it to you again when your shopping is done.

Purchases will be delivered to your car if desired.

Drug Sundries and Toiletries

At Every Day Good Value Prices

TONI HOME PERMANENT, complete set... **2.50**

TONI HAIR CURLERS, package of 12... **35c**

TONI CREME SHAMPOO... **33c, 55c, 95c**



COLD CREAM, 1-lb. jar... **49c**

REVLON AQUAMARINE LOTION for soothing and beautifying hands and body... **1.00**

VASELINE LIP-ICE, soothes chapped, dry lips... **25c**

HOWARD'S COMMON COLD CAPSULES—give prompt relief for head colds, chills, la grippe... **35c**

WAMPOL'S CREOTERPIN, the original green cough syrup for bronchial coughs... **25c and 50c**



"SAVE-A-DOLLAR FAMILY HAIR TRIMMER, it cuts as it trims... **79c**

FITCH'S DANDRUFF REMOVER with bottle of Creme Oil Hair Tonic. Special offer, 1.35 value for... **98c**



DuBARRY-DERMA SEC FORMULA—Special offer, regular 2.00 jar for... **1.00**

You'll Get "Just What the Doctor Ordered" When You Have

Prescriptions

Filled at Our Pharmacy

LILLY'S VITAMIN E CAPSULES, 30 m.e. Bottle of 100 for... **4.55**

COTT'S EMULSION, a reliable cod liver oil tonic... **59c and 1.19**

PENICILLIN THROAT LOZENGES (British Drug House), for throat infections. 20 tablets... **1.00**



EATON'S A.S.A. TABLETS, for headaches and pain relief. Bottle of 100... **29c** 1,000 for... **1.50**

EATON'S MILK OF MAGNESIA TABLETS—100 for... **25c** 500 for... **79c**

EATON'S EFFERVESCENT FRUIT SALINE... **79c**

EATON'S COD LIVER OIL CAPSULES, 100 for... **85c**

EATON'S PURE COD LIVER OIL, 4-ounce bottle... **1.79**

EATON'S—MAIN FLOOR



KODAK Duoflex Cameras

Ideal for the average camera fan—takes pictures 2 1/2 x 2 1/2 inches, 12 to the roll. Have clear visual, waist-level viewfinder.

14.56

Leather Case with shoulder strap... **2.75**

EATON'S—CAMERAS, MAIN FLOOR

Butter Mint TOFFEE

A treat you'll enjoy—delicious, chewy toffee, lightly flavored with mint. Per lb.

49c

EATON'S—LOWER MAIN FLOOR

Take Advantage of the Many Economies on the

Hardware Clearance Aisle

Worth your while to check over the values displayed in this clearance section every time you're in the store, for new items are added daily. For Tuesday, we're featuring a wide range of household needs in four specially-priced groups.

at 9c

WIRE EGG WHIPS
LONG-HANDLED ALUMINUM PANCAKE TURNERS
RUBBER PLATES SCRAPERS
JIFFY BOX OPENERS
WOODEN HANDLED WIRE EGG BEATERS
WAX BEAN SLICERS
SILVER BRIGHT PLATES FOR SILVERWARE
METAL TOOTHBRUSH AND TUMBLER HOLDERS

at 29c

COVERED WHITE ENAMELLED BUTTER DISHES
SIX-HOLE TIN PATTY PANS
HEAVY DUTY CAKE PANS
WHITE ENAMELLED PIE PLATES
LARGE WHITE ENAMELLED MUGS

at 49c

SOLID STAINLESS STEEL LONG-HANDLED SPOONS
SIX-IN-ONE TOOL FOR THE KITCHEN
FOLD-AWAY INDOOR CLOTHES DRYERS
WHITE ENAMEL SUGAR BOWLS WITH COVER
LARGE ENAMEL FRYING PANS
WHIPPET CREAM WHIPPERS
LONG-HANDLED WIRE GRILLS
CAKE DECORATORS WITH BAGS AND TIPS

at 19c

EGG TIMERS—TWO STYLES
WIRE SOAP SAVERS
NICKLE-PLATED CHERRY PITTERS
LONG-HANDLED WIENER ROASTERS
METAL OILERS—MEDIUM SIZE
WHITE ENAMELLED DINNER PLATES

EATON'S—HARDWARE, LOWER MAIN FLOOR

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